

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Nichols

DATE: March 6, 1956

Tolson _____
 Boardman _____
 Belmont _____
 Harbo _____
 Mohr _____
 Parsons _____
 Rosen _____
 Tamm _____
 Sizoo _____
 Winterrowd _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

FROM : M. A. Jones

b7C

SUBJECT: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE,
 PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
 232 SOUTH HILL STREET
 LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

SYNOPSIS

Reference is made to previous memoranda reflecting that captioned magazine alleged in November, 1955, issue that there were homosexuals in "key positions" of FBI. Mr. Tolson noted, "I think we should take this crowd on and make them 'put up or shut up.'" The Director noted, "I concur." Los Angeles Division instructed to conduct investigation concerning background of magazine and officials.

Julber is attorney for "One;" was given physical discharge (honorable)

_____ reported to have been the opening speaker at a Progressive Citizens of America sponsored meeting in Los Angeles area in November, 1947, other speakers being described as communists. _____ was listed as Students for Wallace representative when reported to have appeared as speaker at Progressive Citizens of America rally held in the Los Angeles area in March, 1948, other speakers on the program being communist. _____ shares office space with Attorney

_____ and described as Communist Party (CP) member. No information available connecting _____ with basic revolutionary organizations within past five years nor is there evidence of his membership or participation of a significant nature in any front organization within the past three years. William Lambert, President and Business Manager of One, Inc., has furnished little data about himself in his endeavors and inquiry of usual sources revealed little data. One _____ said to be _____ of One, Inc., has arrest record for "Vagrancy-Lewd." Inquiry of informants and available sources failed to further identify _____ and other "One" officials. San Francisco Office presently checking to determine if One, Inc., is properly licensed to conduct business in California. "One" is a monthly magazine with a circulation of about 10,000 at 25 cents per copy and inquiry revealed magazine supported by income from sales and by gifts and donations. _____

Enclosures (2)

cc - Mr. Rosen

Attention: _____

cc - Liaison Section b7C

CEM:ya

(7)

RECORDED - 78

INDEXED - 76

MAR 11 1956

b7D

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 2/7/84 BY SP4/mj/...

March 6, 1956

[redacted] filed affidavit on 2-1-56 in Federal Court as result of refusal by U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles, to transmit through the mails the October, 1954, issue of "One." This action based on decision by the Solicitor, U. S. Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., to the effect that this particular issue contained obscene, lewd, lascivious, indecent, and filthy matter within the meaning of Title 18, U. S. Code Annotated, Section 1461. On 3-2-56, court rendered decision in favor of the Government. Postal officials not reviewing each issue and suspect magazine being mailed through several post offices and postal drops to avoid scrutiny by the Post Office. Investigative Division of opinion other issues of "One" submitted by field are not of type which has previously been used as evidence in successful prosecution under Interstate Transportation of Obscene Matter Statute. Domestic Intelligence Division sees no objection to interviewing [redacted] as far as security matter restrictions are concerned.

b7C [Junker]
b7D

b7C

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1) That the copies and originals of the issues of "One" presently available, which include the October, 1954, November, 1955, and December, 1955, issues be forwarded to the Department by attached memorandum for an opinion as to their obscene nature.

S. 3-12-56
[initials]

2) That after information received from the Department, consideration be given to having [redacted] interviewed by Bureau Agents to have him "put up or shut up."

b7C

3) That the Los Angeles Office be instructed by air-tel to immediately take the necessary positive investigative steps to develop further information concerning William Lambert and [redacted] as well as other officials of the magazine.

b7C

March 6, 1956

DETAILSBACKGROUND INFORMATION

In the November, 1955, issue of "One" which is called the Homosexual Magazine, there is a statement that homosexuals occupy key positions with the FBI. Mr. Tolson has noted on prior memoranda, "I think we should take this crowd on and make them 'put up or shut up.'" The Director noted, "I concur." As a result the Los Angeles Division was instructed to conduct background investigation relative to this magazine, its corporation, One, Inc., and the officials of the organization.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON [REDACTED] - See 1, 417

By letter dated 2-15-56, Los Angeles Division was instructed to develop information concerning [REDACTED] supposedly the attorney for One, Inc. By letter dated 3-2-56 enclosing the report of a Special Agent [REDACTED] entitled [REDACTED] wa., Security Matter - C, that division advised that [REDACTED] was born in [REDACTED] and that his parents were originally from [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] received a physical discharge (honorable) from the U. S. Navy on 2-21-45. Various physical examinations reflected him to [REDACTED]

He has no known criminal record. He was admitted to the California State Bar 1-18-52, has a private practice, and has been attorney for One, Inc., since Autumn, 1953. [REDACTED]

b7C

[REDACTED] is reported to have been the opening speaker at a Progressive Citizens of America sponsored meeting in the Los Angeles area in November, 1947. Other speakers being [REDACTED] and Howard Koch. [REDACTED] was described in 1950 by Louis F. Budenz, a former CP functionary, as an active communist. Howard Koch described as one of the 19 "unfriendly" witnesses from Hollywood subpoenaed before the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) in 1947.

[REDACTED] was listed as the Students for Wallace representative when he was reported to have appeared as a speaker in a Progressive Citizens of America rally held in the Los Angeles area in March, 1948. Other speakers on this program being [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has been described by witnesses

March 6, 1956

before the HCUA as a communist and was similarly described by an informer. [redacted] has been [redacted] of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America, and [redacted] was described by Budenz, previously mentioned, as a member of the CP.

The California Committee on Un-American Activities cited the Progressive Citizens of America as a communist front and described the Students for Wallace also as a communist front group, organized by Progressive Citizens of America.

b7C

No information is available connecting [redacted] with a basic revolutionary organization within the past five years nor is there any evidence of his membership or participation of a significant nature in any front organization within the past three years.

[redacted] is indicated as sharing office space with [redacted] attorney, who according to Budenz, has been reported to Budenz through official CP channels as a CP member. [redacted] National Lawyers Guild described by HCUA as foremost legal bulwark of the CP.

BACKGROUND ON WILLIAM LAMBERT AND OTHER ONE, INC. OFFICIALS

Los Angeles Office instructed to obtain information concerning William Lambert who, upon being interviewed by Agents, was sarcastic and refused to identify himself or acknowledge he was an official of "One." Investigation revealed Lambert [redacted]

b7D

[redacted] although other available sources reflect him to be President and Business Manager of One, Inc. No further pertinent information concerning Lambert was discovered.

Investigation revealed that [redacted] of One, Inc., is [redacted] [redacted] who, as revealed by investigation of this matter in 1953, had an arrest record for "Vagrancy-Lewd."

[Dennings]

b7C

Informants and available sources were contacted in an effort to further identify [redacted] and other individuals connected with One, Inc., with negative results.

REGISTRATION FOR BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL BACKGROUND OF ONE, INC.

Inquiry revealed One, Inc., has the principal activity of publishing the national monthly magazine known as "One" described as the Homosexual Magazine which is in the interest of sex deviates.

[redacted]

March 6, 1956

b7D

b7D

MAILABILITY OF "ONE"

In a civil case, One, Inc., plaintiff, vs. Otto K. Olesen, et al, defendant, (U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles), [redacted] filed an affidavit on 2-1-56. This action arose out of the refusal by the U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles, to transmit through the mails the October, 1954, issue of "One" as a result of the decision by the Solicitor, U. S. Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., to the effect that this particular issue contained obscene, lewd, lascivious, indecent and filthy matter within the meaning of Title 18, U. S. Code Annotated, Section 1461. It is noted [redacted] explained delay in filing the affidavit by stating his client had had no funds for litigation costs. On 3-2-56 the court rendered a decision in favor of the Government. [Julien]

b7C

Postal Inspector, Los Angeles, stated that since the October, 1954, issue of "One" was impounded, One, Inc., has not again requested the issuance of a second class mailing permit nor has the organization brought its entire mail to the Post Office for transmission. It was the Inspector's opinion that the magazine is now being mailed in small quantities at various post office stations in Los Angeles or deposited in various mail boxes throughout the city. The Post Office Department will not demand that future copies of "One" be submitted for review as to its mailability on the basis that such action would constitute a form of censorship.

As a result, any future action that the Post Office Department may take against the magazine will necessarily have to result through the particular issue coming to its attention as an unmailable item. In this instance, the Post Office Department would be in a position to take appropriate action for whatever violation might have occurred.

OPINION OF INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION RE OBSCENE NATURE OF "ONE"

The Los Angeles Office forwarded a Photostatic copy of the October, 1954, issue and an actual copy of the December, 1955, issue of "One." The Investigative Division reviewed these issues and the opinion was given that this material is of a type that has previously been used as evidence for successful prosecution under the Interstate Transportation of Obscene Matter Statute.

March 6, 1956

DESIRABILITY OF INTERVIEWING [redacted]

The Los Angeles Division advised that no interview is being had with [redacted] pending the decision of the Bureau concerning desirability of such action. The Domestic Intelligence Division, upon reviewing the Los Angeles report, is of the opinion that there would be no objection to the interviewing of [redacted] by Agents from a security standpoint.

b7C

OBSERVATIONS

We should forward the October, 1954, November, and December, 1955, editions of "One" to the Department for an opinion relative to its obscene nature, it being noted that under the statute for which postal authorities are responsible, the Federal Court held that the October, 1954, issue of the magazine was obscene.

[J. Edgar Hoover] Upon receiving information from the Department concerning obscenity of this publication, we should instruct Los Angeles to interview [redacted] concerning the slanderous statements about the FBI, it being noted that William Lambert has referred the Bureau to this attorney in a rather haughty and sarcastic manner. [redacted] should be told of the Bureau's extreme displeasure and told to "put up or shut up."

[J. Edgar Hoover] b7C

We should instruct the Los Angeles Office to immediately take necessary positive investigative steps to further identify William Lambert and [redacted] as well as other officials of [redacted] "One" magazine since the investigation to date has failed to develop this information.

Assistant Attorney General
Warren Olney III

March 12, 1956

Director, FBI

72908

RECORDED-91
811-X3
100-403320-21
"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

Enclosed are the November and December, 1955, issues of the captioned magazine, as well as a Photostatic reproduction of the October, 1954, issue of this publication. It is noted this magazine is of primary interest to sex deviates.

It is requested that the Department of Justice review these of "One" and that a decision be rendered as to whether they may be obscene insofar as Title 18, Sections 1462 and/or 1465, U. S. Code, covered.

For your information, the attorney for One, Inc., filed an lawsuit on February 1, 1956, in Federal Court, Los Angeles, California, Civil Case 18764 TS, One, Inc., Plaintiff, vs. Otto K. Olsen, et al., Defendants, (U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles), which action arose out of the refusal by the U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles, to transmit through the mails the October, 1954, issue of "One." The refusal was based on the opinion by the Solicitor, U. S. Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., to the effect that this particular issue contained obscene, lewd, lascivious and filthy matter within the meaning of Title 18, Section 1465, U. S. Code Annotated.

Mr. Joseph D. Mullender, Jr., Assistant United States Attorney, Federal Building, Los Angeles, advised that on March 8, 1956, the court rendered a decision in this matter in favor of the Government.

There are also enclosed Photostatic copies of the following information:



Copy of plaintiff's memorandum of points and authorities in support of plaintiff's motion for summary judgment;

Copy of memorandum of points and authorities in support of defendant's motion for summary judgment, and in opposition to plaintiff's motion for summary judgment;

The Federal Judge's order on motions for summary judgment.

It is requested that all of the enclosed items be returned to the Division of their review by you.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/1/81 BY SP-10/BJM

Note and cc's next page

Memorandum to Assistant Attorney General
Warren Olney III

12,
March 1, 1956

cc - Mr. Rosen
Attention:

st

[Redacted]

5718

b7C

NOTE: See Jones to Nichols memo dated 3-6-56, captioned
"One," The Homosexual Magazine, Published by One, Inc.,
232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles 12, California,
CEM:jh

100-403320-21

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-45888)

SUBJECT: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

DATE: 3/2/56

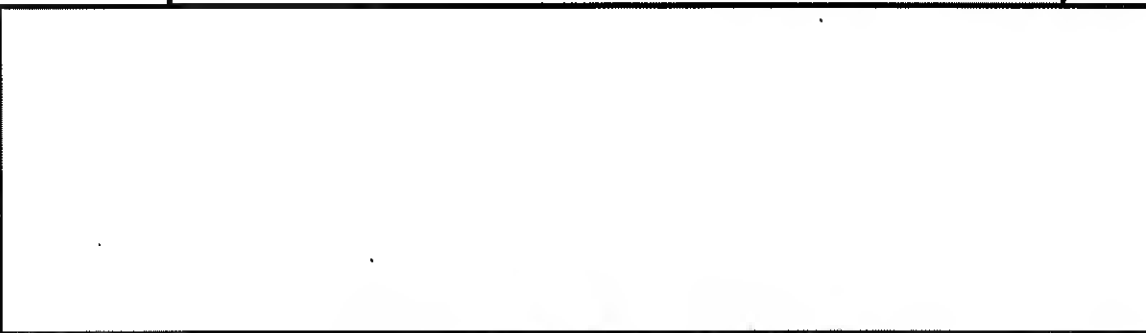
ReBulet to Los Angeles 2/28/56. Bulet to Los Angeles 2/15/56, and report of SA [redacted] in the case entitled "The Mattachine Foundation, Inc., IS - C," dated 9/9/53, at Los Angeles, Bufile 100-403320. b7C

Attached are four copies of the report of SA [redacted] in the case entitled [redacted] SM-C, "Los Angeles file 100-53757, dated 3/2/56. This investigation was conducted in connection with this individual.

The following additional information was developed in connection with investigation conducted as the result of instructions contained in referenced Bulet 2/15/56.

Information concerning the incorporation of One, Inc., was set forth in rerep of SA [redacted] b7C

On 2/21/56, an airtel was directed to the San Francisco Office requesting that the file on One, Inc., at the California State Division of Corporations at Sacramento be reviewed in order to determine that this organization is still properly licensed to do business in California. The results of San Francisco's investigation have not as yet been received.



b7D

b7C

2 - Bureau (Encls. 11) REGISTERED AIR MAIL
1 - Los Angeles
ITV:DLS
(3)

RECORDED-3

INDEXED-3

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/2/84 BY SP6/...

b7D

Mr. JOSEPH D. MULLENDER, JR., Assistant United States Attorney, Federal Building, Los Angeles, advised that he has handled Federal Civil Case 18764TC in connection with an action brought by One, Inc., against OTTO K. OLESON, Postmaster, Los Angeles, et al, as a result of the Post Office's refusal to transmit through the mails the October, 1954, issue of "One." In connection with this litigation, Mr. MULLENDER furnished the following background: On each mailing of "One," a copy is furnished by the Postmaster's Office in Los Angeles to the Solicitor, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., Fraud and Mailability Division, for determination of the mailability of the particular issue. With respect to the October, 1954, issue, the Solicitor ordered that issue be impounded and not transmitted through the mails on the basis of the Solicitor's opinion that it constituted obscene, lewd, lascivious and filthy matters within the meaning of the provisions of Section 18, USCA 1461. The Solicitor subsequently authorized the local post office to return all copies of that issue to One, Inc., upon receipt of proper written request. As a result, on or about 12/29 or 30/54, all copies of the October, 1954, issue of "One" totalling approximately 600 were returned to that organization. No further action was taken in this matter until 9/16/55 when a complaint for Injunction and Declaratory Release was filed by One, Inc., as plaintiff vs. OTTO K. OLESON, et al, defendants, as a result of the Post Office's refusal to transmit through the mails the October, 1954, issue of "One." The complaint sought a judgment declaring that this issue of "One" was lawful and mailable and that an injunction be issued against OLESON

enjoining him from refusing to dispatch through the mails the October, 1954, issue. A complaint was filed by [redacted] as attorney for plaintiff. The United States Attorney's Office in Los Angeles on 11/14/54, filed an answer to the above complaint. On 1/16/56, [redacted] as attorney for plaintiff made a motion for Summary Judgment in the case and on 2/1/56, filed a Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of plaintiff's motion. On 2/27/56, the Government filed a Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of defendants' motion for Summary Judgment and in opposition to plaintiff's motion. Copy of the above memoranda are furnished to the Bureau herewith. Three objectionable phases of the October, 1954, issue of "One" set forth in the Government's memorandum are as follows:

[Eric Julber]

b7C

- "1) The story entitled 'Sappho Remembered' appearing on pp. 12-15. Briefly stated, this story is obscene because lustfully stimulating to the average homosexual reader.
- "2) The poem 'Lord Samuel and Lord Montagu' on pp. 18 and 19. This is obscene because of the filthy words contained in it.
- "3) The advertisement for the Swiss publication 'The Circle' which appears at the top of page 29. This advertisement is, of course, not obscene in and of itself, but it makes 'One' non-mailable because it gives information for obtaining obscene material."

Mr. MULLENDER advised on the morning of 3/2/56, that the court had just rendered a decision in the foregoing matter in favor of the Government. A copy of the court's decision is attached hereto.

Mr. MULLENDER has been in contact with [redacted] both in court and outside of court in connection with the above litigation. He described [redacted] as a rather mild-mannered individual with somewhat effeminate characteristics. [redacted] has appeared frank and open in his dealings with the United States Attorney's Office during conversation and dealings they have had with him in this matter. [redacted] has stated that One, Inc., is in very poor financial condition and that this was the cause for the long delay in bringing this action concerning the Post Office's refusal to transmit the October, 1954, issue.

[Julber]

b7C

LA 100-45888

He advised MULLENDER that One, Inc., is a non-profit organization and left the impression that its income is depending entirely upon the sales of the magazine "One." Mr. MULLENDER learned during the course of his preparation of the foregoing litigation that One, Inc., had made application to the Post Office Department for a second class mailing permit on 5/5/54. At that time the organization claimed its circulation to be approximately 10,000 copies monthly, broken down as follows:

Individual Subscribers	1200
Agents Subscriptions	800
Distribution to Newsstands	7500
Miscellaneous	340
Total	9840

The Postmaster's Office in connection with One, Inc.'s application made their own separate check, apparently by having a Post Office representative look over the records of One, Inc. Headquarters. Through this check it was determined that the circulation then was broken down as follows:

Individual Subscribers	1092
Agents Subscriptions	656
Single copies sold by publisher	286
Distribution to Newsstands	6944
Total	8978

The foregoing application applied only to circulation which would be included in the application for a second class mailing permit and that, of course, additional copies might well be distributed as first class mail which would not come to the attention of the Post Office.

[redacted] Inspector, Federal Post Office, Los Angeles, advised on 3/1/56, that no further action has been taken by the Post Office in connection with any issue of the magazine "One" pending the outcome of the above litigation.

b7C

On 3/2/56, [redacted] advised that since the time the Post Office Department impounded the October, 1954, issue of "One," One, Inc., has not again requested the issuance

LA 100-45888

of a second class mailing permit for subsequent mailings, nor has the organization brought its entire mail to the Post Office for transmission. It was [redacted] opinion that the magazine is now being mailed in small quantities at the various Post Office substations in Los Angeles or through deposit in various mailboxes located throughout the city. He stated that in spite of the Federal Court's decision on 3/2/56, the Post Office Department will not demand that future copies of "One" be submitted for review as to its mailability. This is because of a decision of the Post Office Solicitor given in the past to the effect that any such action would constitute a form of censorship. As a result, any future action that the Post Office Department may have against the magazine will necessarily have to result through a particular issue coming to its attention as an unmailable item. If such eventuality should occur, then, of course, the Post Office Department would be in a position to take appropriate action for whatever violation might have occurred.

b7C

In connection with the individual who operates One, Inc., and who identifies himself as WILLIAM LAMBERT, the following has been developed:

b7D

[redacted]

Investigation reflects that [redacted]

b7D

[redacted]

LA 100-45888

The California Market Sketch Press is referred to
on page 21, et seq., of referenced report.

b7D




b7D



b7D



b7C

 is identified in referenced report.
at pp. 25 and 26.

b7D



LA 100-45888

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

On 2/28/56, photographs were taken of WILLIAM LAMBERT through confidential techniques utilized and the photographs have been identified as the individual who [REDACTED] and who operates the offices of One, Inc. b7D

A neighborhood investigation has developed that two single men recently purchased the property at [REDACTED] Los Angeles, at which location is a small residence dwelling. Spot surveillances have located only one car parked at the residence which is a 1953 Hillman four door sedan, 1956 California license AYH 523 registered to one [REDACTED] b7C

The records of the Title Insurance and Trust Company, Los Angeles, reflect that on 6/30/55, the property at 1717 South Mansfield was transferred from a CECIL ARTHUR DE LANO and PAULINE CLARK DE LANO to a MARION ADDIS CARTER, a single man.

All informants and sources listed in the attached referenced report of SA [REDACTED] have been contacted in an effort to further identify [REDACTED] and the other individuals listed in referenced Bulet with negative results. b7C

Checks of the Los Angeles Police Department and Los Angeles Sheriff's Office, Retail Merchants Credit Association of Los Angeles, and Voter's Registration records developed no information identifiable with these individuals.

LA 100-45888

b2

b7D

b7C

[redacted] in the Intelligence Division of [redacted] the Los Angeles Police Department conducted investigations of One, Inc. and to date developed no information on LAMBERT, [redacted] or members of the staff of One, Inc.

PSIs [redacted] and [redacted] who have a wide acquaintanceship among homosexuals in the Los Angeles area, reported that most individuals who write or work for a magazine such as "One" do so without any remuneration and they, as a consequence and because of the nature of such publication, frequently use fictitious names.

b7C

b7D

Consideration is being given to the possibility of reinterviewing [redacted] was. [redacted] Los Angeles file 100-30028, Bufile 100-402855, who may be identical with [redacted] listed in the November, 1955, issue of "One" as [redacted]

b7C

A matter which may be of interest to the Bureau is a letter which was directed by [redacted] Chap. 104" and written on stationery of the Mattachine Society, Los Angeles, P. O. Box 1925, Main Post Office, Los Angeles. The recipient of this letter was [redacted] who is believed to be one [redacted] whose identity is known to this office. A typewritten copy of the original letter [redacted] was furnished to this office by [redacted] This copy bears no date but appears to have been written in either November or December, 1953. A photostatic copy of that typewritten copy is being submitted to the Bureau herewith, directing particular attention to paragraph 9 which makes reference to the fact that [redacted] has requested assistance in connection with his present interviews for his study on "sex and law" and that such assistance was being given him. It is not known whether the [redacted] who signed the letter is identical with [redacted]

b2

b7D

b7C

In an interview of a general nature had by this office with [redacted] on 2/29/56, touching on "One" magazine and eluding to the above letter, [redacted] offered no information identifying [redacted] and it appears that he merely wrote a letter to the Mattachine Company and the reply referred to above was received by him. [redacted] also failed to volunteer any information in connection with the matter relating to [redacted] although he was specifically asked what research work he knew of that was being carried on if any.

b7C

LA 100-45888

On 3/2/56, a pretext telephone inquiry was made at the office of One, Inc., to determine the date of distribution of the next issue of "One." A woman answering the telephone advised that the company is now in the process of making ready for distribution of the January, 1956, issue which should soon be available on newsstands. As soon as a copy is received it will be furnished to the Bureau.

The Los Angeles Office is vigorously pursuing the investigation requested by the Bureau in reflet and the Bureau will be promptly advised of all developments.

ENCLOSURES TO THE BUREAU:

1. Copy of plaintiff's Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of plaintiff's motion for Summary Judgment in the case entitled One, Inc., vs. OTTO K. OLESEN, Federal Civil Case 18764-TC.
2. Copy of Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of defendants motion for Summary Judgment, and in opposition to plaintiff's motion for Summary Judgment in above case.
3. Copy of letter from [redacted] Chap. 104." Mattachine Society, Los Angeles, to [redacted] b7C
4. Photostatic copy of magazine "One" issue of October, 1954.
5. Photostatic copy of magazine "One" issue of November, 1955.
6. Original copy of "One" issue of December, 1955.
7. Copy of Federal Judge's decision in connection with One, Inc., vs. OTTO K. OLESEN.
8. Four copies of the report of SA [redacted] in the case entitled [redacted] SM-C," dated 3/2/56, at Los Angeles. b7C

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/84 BY SP/abw/ff

ENCLOSURES TO THE BUREAU (100-403320) FROM LOS ANGELES (100-45888)

Copy of plaintiff's Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of plaintiff's motion for Summary Judgment in the case entitled One, Inc., vs. OTTO K. OLESEN, Federal Civil Case 18764-TC.

Copy of Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of defendants motion for Summary Judgment, and in opposition to plaintiff's motion for Summary Judgment in above case. *Carth. D. 1/2/54 by memo. to be returned 4-1-54*

Copy of letter from [redacted] Chap. 104, "Mattachine Society, Los Angeles, to [redacted]

Photostatic copy of magazine "One" issue of 10/54. *sent to Dept. Justice by memo 11-1-54*

Photostatic copy of magazine "One" issue of 11/55. *Carth.*

Orig. copy of "One" issue of 12/55. *sent to Dept. Justice by memo 11-1-54*

Copy of Federal Judge's decision in connection with One, Inc., vs. OTTO K. OLESEN. *sent to Dept. Justice by memo 11-1-54*

"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC., 232 SOUTH HILL STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

one

The Homosexual Magazine

TWENTY FIVE

The front and back of the book "One The
Homosexual Magazine" was scanned in.
There are 30 pages that were not scanned in.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

I EDUCATION DIVISION

II PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

Don Slater, Manager

Book Department
ONE Magazine

III RESEARCH DIVISION

IV SOCIAL SERVICE DIVISION

Charles Rowland, Director

Bureau of Public Information

Martin Cutler, Secretary

Business & Accounting

William Lambert, Manager

Library

Leslie Colfax, Librarian

Lecture Bureau

SUBSCRIBE TODAY to ONE MAGAZINE

Copies mailed in plain envelope.

Subscriber's names absolutely private.

No "authority" can obtain them for any purpose.
(U. S. Supreme Court decision)

In United States, Canada, Mexico: One year, \$2.50; two years, \$4.00; single copies twenty eight cents. First class (sealed), one year, \$3.50; two years, \$6.00; single copies thirty five cents. Airmail, one year, \$5.00.

Rates for all other countries: One year, \$3.50; first class (sealed), \$5.00; single copies, thirty five cents. Airmail rates on request.

one

incorporated

232 SOUTH HILL STREET, LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

NAME _____

STREET _____

CITY _____

ZONE _____ STATE _____

I am over twenty one (Sign) _____

Enclosed Find _____

For _____

copy 4

Research Chapter / 104

MATTACHINE SOCIETY
OAKLAND TOWN OFFICE BOX 101
Oakland 4 Calif.

Los Angeles Post Office Box
1925 Main Post Office 1, 4

Chapter # 113
Long Beach Calif.

b7C

Dear [redacted]

We are in receipt of your letter dated November 6. We have been in the woe of re-organizing our officers, and we wish to apologize for the delinquent answer to your interesting letter.

As [redacted] I will try to do my best to describe to you the various interesting aspects of our Research projects which we lately have engaged in.

First to your question about "Lesbian Psychology Study" discussion meeting. It is indeed interesting and I am sorry that you were not able to make it because it was informative and stimulating. There were thirteen present, six being women. Three of the persons formed a committee, presented the results of their labours, which was a scholarly, and intense questionnaire especially designed for Lesbians, but which with some slight changes could be used for male homosexuals as well.

The questionnaire was large and covered about three pages. It contained questions covering almost every field of human behaviour, and took specific detailed account of the persons family-background and psychological aspects in his childhood.

The members and friends present looked it over and accepted it with some small changes. We are now planning a method of distributing these questionnaires in the most effective manner, and it was thought that a group, with some one there to advise on the most difficult questions would be the most effective method.

This is only one small aspect of our many and varied activities and future projects. We are now planning a Bibliographical file which would list articles and books of particular interest to the divists. We are also compiling a list of physicians, psychiatrists, et al. which would be able to help us and assist in any way possible.

Besides the aforementioned projects which is going to take much time and interest, we have many other ideas, which we hope later will ripen to constructive maturity.

We are getting together with members of the Legal Committee of Legal Chapter # 103 for the purpose of compiling a list of persons having had personal contact with the Law enforcement agencies. [redacted] has requested us to do this so that we may be able to help him in this on his present interviews for his study on Sex and Law. We are happy to be able to help him in this manner, and hope that such future collaboration may prove mutually profitable.

We are indeed desirous of contacting other Research Chapters, or Chapters engaged or interested in Research projects, and we hope that a greater degree of interrelations may be evident in our Chapter activities. We are positive that all of us have different talents which would prove of inspiration and benefit to all of us. We are interested in the Long Beach Chapters remarkable progress, and believe that this alone evidences a admirable degree of interest and responsibility on

b7C

b7C

the part of its members. We, in the Research Chapter hope we may be able to contact you, maybe find a mutual meeting place, which would combine our forces to a great, and yet acquainted, with all another, your peevos and talents.

We have no meeting as such, but sometimes, if the need arises of the work required we have called in the meetings for the Research Committee (i.e. Research Chapter) so that we may be able to get some of the behind-the-scenes work done. However as a personal note I might mention that we are planning a series of breakfast which would be beneficial to all of the Chapters of the area in the Southern Area, to be held and sponsored by the various Chapters. This recent attempt at this was made two weeks ago by the Public Relations Chapter, purely successful and was a most unexpected success. At this meeting, about 50 people showed up and we were able to get together and discuss the different activities of the various Chapters. This, I believe, is a splendid opportunity for the Southern Area Society as a whole.

We have three meetings outlined thus far. These will be announced in Newsheet, but for your convenience I will repeat them here.

December 16, 1953 "Legal Research" [redacted] Hollywood.

b7C

December 20th, 1953 "Annual Report of the first General Membership Meeting" [redacted] Los Angeles.

January 17, 1954 "Discussion of [redacted] Sexual Behavior in Public Places."

You were of course cordially invited to these sessions and we hope that you will continue to write us and visit us that we may be enjoy of your knowledge and interest.

Yours sincerely,

[redacted]
b7C

/ [redacted] Chapter #104

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)
FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)
SUBJECT: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

DATE: 3/9/56

Re LA let to Bureau 3/2/56.

Since there appears to be no present organizational connection between One, Inc. and the Mattachine Society, a new case file, as indicated above, has been opened in the Los Angeles Office on One, Inc. For the Bureau's information, the Mattachine Society now has its own publication, which bears the title "The Mattachine Review."

Investigation conducted by this office has developed that WILLIAM LAMBERT, referred to in LA airtel to the Bureau 2/2/56 in this matter and who is variously listed in "One" magazine as in bank accounts of ONE INC. & p. labels

[redacted] is identical with WILLIAM DORR LEGG, LAPD #237912, FBI #614 452B.

LEGG resides at 1717 South Mansfield Avenue, Los Angeles, which is a small dwelling house currently being purchased by one [redacted] (Negro) under a G.I. Loan. Neighbors state that LEGG and [redacted] reside there together.

"One" magazine is being printed by a firm known as Abbey Lithographers, 228 East Third Street, Los Angeles, which is a small corporation founded & operated by [redacted]

During a pretext interview with [redacted] on 3/8/56 he advised that he has printed "One" magazine apparently since its inception, and has in his possession most of the back copies. [redacted] advised that on at least one occasion he questioned [redacted] whom he recalls under the name of WILLIAM LAMBERT, about certain items in the

- 2 - Bureau (AIR MAIL) (REGISTERED) (Encls. 6)
- 2 - Detroit (REGISTERED) 15 3 22 64, 11
- 2 - Los Angeles
- (1 - 100-45135)

ITW:VMD

RECORDED-3

INDEXED-71
EX-118

23 MAR 12 1956
ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 3/2/84 BY SP4/...

ENCLOSURE

53 APR 19 1956

LA 100-53803

magazine which he considered might be viewed as obscene and improper for him to print [redacted] was assured [redacted] that everything in the magazine is carefully gone over by the organization's attorney before it is sent to [redacted] for printing and that he need have no concern about anything appearing in the magazine.

b7C

b7D

[redacted] advised interviewing agents that he was anxious to cooperate with the Bureau in any matter he could and assured agents he would keep the aforementioned contact confidential. He furnished two copies each of the following back issues of "One":

October, 1955
November, 1955
December, 1955

These copies are being directed to the Bureau herewith.

The Bureau's attention is called to the photographic copy of the issue of "One" for October, 1954, page 28, furnished to the Bureau with relet. This issue lists the points of distribution of "One" magazine in the U.S. and also at Copenhagen, Denmark. In this connection, the Bureau may desire to consider the possibility of a violation in the event interstate and foreign transportation can be established, under Title 18, USC 1462 and 1465, bearing in mind the decision of Los Angeles Federal Judge THURMOND CLARKE handed down 3/1/56 in connection with the October, 1954, issue of "One." A photostatic copy of that decision was also furnished the Bureau with relet.

The Los Angeles Office has one original copy of the October, 1954, issue and will attempt to secure others, furnishing the Bureau with an original if possible.

Mr. JOSEPH D. MULLENDER, Jr., Assistant U.S. Attorney, Federal Building, Los Angeles, advised that [redacted] attorney for One, Inc., contacted him following the decision of Judge CLARKE mentioned above and advised that he will appeal the Court's ruling on that particular issue of the magazine. This Civil matter will be followed and the Bureau kept advised.

b7C

As indicative of the covert manner in which WILLIAM DORR LEGG has operated, the following is pointed out for the information of the Bureau:

LA 100-53803

[REDACTED]

The Post Office Department advises that this box was taken out in the name of W. DORR LEGG, giving no home or business address. Only after insistence by the Post Office Department did LEGG furnish an address. This was 3752 Oakhill Avenue, Los Angeles 32, which is being checked out by this office.

b7D

LEGG still has the above box, which now bears the number 15692.

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

When registering to vote in Los Angeles under the name of WILLIAM D. LEGG, 2657 South Dalton Avenue, Los Angeles (a colored section of town in the neighborhood of his present residence), he declared that he had previously registered to vote from "4959 Hollywood," presumably Hollywood Boulevard. The Registrar of Voters was unable to locate any such registration.

The above address was checked out by this office and determined to be the location of a ceramics shop, and not a residence address.

In view of his covert activities, it is possible that LEGG may be wanted by other Bureau offices, or at least be known to other offices. Detroit is, therefore, being requested to advise any pertinent information in their files concerning LEGG, since he indicates his birthplace as Michigan, and LAPD records indicate an arrest for him in Detroit, Michigan, under PD #81425, 1/24/47, probably under the name, WILLIAM LAGG. The Bureau is also requested to advise if LEGG may have been the subject of a direct Bureau investigation by any other offices.

LA 100-53803

LEGG was arrested by the LAPD on 5/1/54 on a charge of suspicion of burglary and was released on 5/5/54. This arrest occurred in the "skid row" area of Los Angeles. The LAPD files also indicate that he was apparently arrested in 1949 on a charge of gross indecency and received one year probation, date and place of arrest not set forth.

For the information of the Detroit Office, the November, 1955, issue of "One" magazine contained an article, "How much do we know about the homosexual male?" by DAVID L. FREEMAN, listed in the magazine as its Circulation Manager.

The article reported in part that "The Tories" composed one of the three main groups of homosexual society, and the article continued "They work for TIME magazine or the NEW YORKER. They are in the diplomatic service; they occupy key positions with oil companies or the FBI (it's true!)."

Efforts to identify David L. Freeman have been unsuccessful to date. It is altogether possible that this may likewise be an alias. b7C

An FD-9 is being submitted to the Bureau in connection with LEGG.

The following is a composite description of LEGG:

Name:	WILLIAM DORR LEGG, was. William Lambert William Don Legg, William Lagg
Born:	12/15/04, Michigan
Height:	6' (Appears more nearly 5'10")
Weight:	160 lbs. (Appears somewhat lighter)
Hair:	Brown (bald on top)
Eyes:	Brown
Occupation:	Architect (LAPD records); manages One, Inc., Room 326, 232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles; publishers of "One" magazine, which organization was incorporated in California, 5/27/53.
Marital Status:	Formerly married to MARY ALLEN (deceased) in Detroit, Michigan

LA 100-53803

Detroit PD No.: 81425
Social Security No.: 572-42-7575
Present Address: 1717 South Mansfield Avenue,
Los Angeles
Former Addresses: 2703½ South Alsace, Los Angeles;
2657 Dalton, Los Angeles;
4959 Hollywood Boulevard,
Los Angeles

b7D

Bank account:

Legg

Father: FRANK LEGG

Mother's Maiden

Name:

DORR

Brothers:

 Ann Arbor, Michigan;
VICTOR LEGG, Maplewood, New Jersey

b7C

Investigation in connection with One, Inc. and its
staff is continuing.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

SUBJECT: "ONE", The Homosexual Magazine,
Published by One, Incorporated,
232 South Hill Street,
Los Angeles 12, California
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

DATE: March 14, 1956

Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau, 3/9/56.

As requested by the Bureau, there are being furnished herewith two copies of the January, 1956 issue of "One" Magazine. This issue was just placed on sale at local news stands in Los Angeles and these particular copies were purchased at a stand located at 6th and Hill in downtown Los Angeles. This issue was printed by Abbey Lithographers, 228 East 3rd Street, Los Angeles, which concern is [redacted]

[redacted] has printed all of the issues of "One" since its inception, January, 1953, with the exception of the March, 1953 and February and March, 1954 issues. [redacted] due to the fact that One, Incorporated was in arrears in making payments [redacted]

[redacted] a copy of every issue of "One" with the exception of the above three issues. He stated that 5,000 copies of the current January, 1956 issue were printed, which is the same number of copies [redacted] of each of the issues over the past several months.

The Los Angeles Office is in possession of all of the past issues of "ONE", commencing with the January, 1953 issue, with the exception of two issues which can be secured through a confidential source.

The Bureau is requested to advise if it is desired that copies of these past issues be forwarded for review in connection with the possibility that a violation may be established under the Interstate Transportation of Obscene Matters Statute.

2 Bureau (Encls. - 2)
1 Los Angeles

ITW:bcl
(3)

RECORDED-3
INDEXED-3

b7C

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE

2/7/84

BY SP1/aw/uf

4/13

COAN

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/2/84 BY SP4/ab/jf



100 4033-0-23

one

Homosexual Rights!



Thomas Hennings, Jr.



Robert Hutchins

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

The front and back of the book "One
Homosexual Rights" was scanned in. There
are 30 pages that were not scanned in.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ana Carl Reid, Chairman

Don Slater, Vice Chairman

William Lambert, Secretary-Treasurer

Bureau of Public Information

Maryin Euler, Secretary

Business & Accounting

William Lambert, Manager

Library

Leslie Colfax, Librarian

Lecture Bureau

I EDUCATION DIVISION

II PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

Don Slater, Manager

Book Department

ONE Magazine

III RESEARCH DIVISION

IV SOCIAL SERVICE DIVISION

Charles Rowland, Director

one

Memo to SAC, Los Angeles

February 15, 1956

NAME	TITLE
Ann Carll Reid	Managing Editor
Lyn Pedersen	Associate Editor-Research
Robert Gregory	Associate Editor-Fiction
Kay Reynard	Associate Editor-Women's Department
Armando Quexon	Associate Editor-International
Donald Webster Cory	Contributing Editor
Rue Ellorree	Art Director

See your file 100-30028 concerning [redacted] with aliases, [redacted] This individual may be identical with the [redacted] who is listed as [redacted] of "One."

Bufiles reflect that Donald Webster Cory owns the Cory Book Service at 237 East 56th Street in New York City, New York. He reportedly specializes in books on or about homosexuals. He wrote the book, "The Homosexual in America," under the name of D. W. Cory. He is also known as Daniel Wesley Cory and Edward Sagarin.

No derogatory information could be located in Bufiles identifiable with [redacted]

b7C

You should, of course, afford this matter your personal attention, coordinate all the investigations and submit desired information to the Bureau, Attention Crime Records Section, no later than March 5, 1956.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: February 17, 1956

FROM : Mr. R. R. Roach

SUBJECT: ONE, "THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE"
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

Tolson _____
 Boardman _____
 Nichols _____
 Belmont _____
 Harbo _____
 Mohr _____
 Parsons _____
 Rosen _____
 Tamm _____
 Sizoo _____
 Winterrowd _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____

Reference is made to memorandum under the same caption, from Mr. Jones to Mr. Nichols of February 10, 1956, advising that an article in the November, 1955, issue of the above periodical alleged that there were homosexuals in "key positions" of the FBI. Among other things, it was recommended that Liaison obtain any pertinent information regarding "One" that might be in possession of the Chief Postal Inspector.

On February 16, 1956, Chief, Post Office Inspector, D. H. Stevens advised Liaison that the October, 1954, issue of "One" was reviewed by the Post Office Solicitor, as the result of which a letter was directed to One, Inc., the publisher, ordering them to show cause why the publication should not be declared nonmailable. One, Inc. filed an injunction and the matter is presently pending in Federal Court, Los Angeles. Stevens stated that since October, 1954, selected issues of "One" have been reviewed for the purpose of determining whether One, Inc., application for second class mailing privileges should be granted. Second class mailing, which would permit a cheaper postal rate for One, Inc., has not been granted by the Post Office to date. The Post Office file on "One" was made available by Stevens and contains no information in addition to that appearing in referenced memorandum.

Stevens advised that he would have a copy of the November, 1955, issue of "One" obtained and reviewed for any action which the Post Office might be able to take against this publication.

ACTION:

None. For information.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 2/7/84 BY SP-11/1/84

JJD:jlf(8)

- 1 - Mr. Nichols
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones

- 1 - [redacted] 1956EX
- 1 - Liaison Section F-407
- 1 - [redacted]

INDEXED - 15

RECORDED - 15

FEB 21 1956

b7C

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

AIRTEL

Transmit the following ~~Teletype~~ message to:

FBI, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320) 3/15/56

5:15 PM

"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE,
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC. AT
232 SOUTH HILL STREET,
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Rebulet 2/15/56. 14

Interview was had on 3/15/56 by SA's [redacted]
and [redacted] with [redacted] was. [redacted]
[redacted] (LA file 100-30028; Bufile 100-402855).
[redacted] WOLF admitted being Ann Carll Reid of "One"
magazine, as listed in its masthead, and [redacted] for
the publication [redacted]

b7C

b7D

[redacted] that all members of the staff of "One"
have been instructed by the publication's attorney and also by
WILLIAM LAMBERT (identified in LA let to Bureau 3/9 last as
WILLIAM DORR LEGG, FBI #614 452 B) who runs the publication,
that they might be approached by the FBI. LAMBERT pointed out
to members of the staff that two Agents from the FBI had called
at the magazine's headquarters concerning the November, 1955,
issue, which contained a reference to the FBI. All members of
the staff were told to furnish no information to the Bureau.

During an interview [redacted] which lasted approxi-
mately 1½ hrs, the names of individuals who have been identified
by this office through investigation as having some connection
with the above publication, were gone over one by one with
[redacted] admitted that [redacted] Chuck Rowland who served
as a staff member of the publication, is identical with [redacted] David
L. Freeman and wrote the article appearing in the November,
1955, issue which made reference to the FBI. [redacted]
advised that [redacted] Rowland is an expelled Communist Party member

[WOLF?]

b7C

b7D

3 - Bureau (AIR MAIL) (REGISTERED) **RECORDED**
3 - Los Angeles (1 - 100-30913 - [redacted]
1 - 100-30028 - [redacted])

ITW:VMD
(6)

b7C

7 MAR 17 1956

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/84 BY SP4/BJA/DAW

Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Fed Bureau of Investigation
for 326 K1178

Gen. to Nichols
Mar 23-19-56
Ltr to JH,
Del. to [redacted]
can
3-21-56

PAGE 2.

and still exhibits much CP thinking, which is reflected in his writings. Because of this fact, coupled with criticism of him by other members of the staff, particularly concerning his above-mentioned article, and also as a result of disagreements with other members of the staff, he resigned from the publication very recently.

[Rowland left 1955]

[redacted] furnished [redacted] present address as [redacted] Los Angeles, and stated that he is still employed in a furniture store in the City of Vernon, apparently, the Morris Furniture Company, 4433 South Alameda Street, Los Angeles. [redacted] prior to the appearance of the article by [redacted] no discussion took place concerning it in any staff meetings [redacted] but that this was a common practice concerning most articles appearing in the magazine if they met the minimum standards.

b7C

b7D

[redacted]

b7C

b7D

[redacted] following information concerning other members of the staff of "One":

[redacted] no personal information concerning the background of WILLIAM LAMBERT. [redacted] other members of the staff also seem to know little about him and his background is somewhat of a mystery. [redacted] LAMBERT is in charge of "One" magazine and actually runs the organization and this publication.

b7C

b7D

[redacted] is a pseudonym used by [redacted] [redacted] described her as strictly "non-political."

b7C

[redacted] is [redacted] pseudonym. He also uses the pen name of [redacted]

[redacted] and [redacted] are all fictitious names of nonexistent individuals.

DONALD WEBSTER CORY, now deceased, was a writer who resided in New York City.

PAGE 3.

[redacted] is a pseudonym used by [redacted]
[redacted] as strictly non-political, with "absolutely no Communist background."

b7C

[redacted] the staff listed for "One" magazine in its masthead will more or less remain constant even though there may be changes from time to time in the identities of the individuals who work behind the pseudonyms set forth. The names of [redacted] and [redacted] however, will no longer appear in the magazine, according to [redacted]

b7D

San Francisco airtel to LA, 3/2/56, advised that One, Inc. is properly registered with the Office of the Secretary of State, State of California. The organization is also properly listed with the Franchise Tax Division, Franchise Tax Board, Sacramento, California.

The Bureau is requested to advise if an interview with [redacted] mentioned above, should be conducted and, if so, if the Bureau has any additional instructions. It is noted that an attempt to interview [redacted] Rowland was made by Agents of this office on 8/20/52, at which time he declined to talk to the Bureau representatives.

b7C

The file on [redacted] in the Los Angeles Office contains no pertinent information not already in the possession of the Bureau.

MALONE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Transmit the following Teletype message to: -

RECEIVED
MAR 19 8 42 AM '56
FBI
U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

REC'D-TELETYPE UNIT
FBI
MAR 17 12 25 PM '56

Sent _____ M Per _____

SAC, Los Angeles (100-53803)

March 22, 1956

Director, FBI (100-403320)

RECORDED-31

-24
"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

Re Los Angeles letters to Bureau March 9 and 14, 1956,
and Los Angeles air-tel to Bureau March 15, 1956.

For your information, the Department of Justice is presently reviewing issues of "One" and for this reason, the Los Angeles Office should hold in abeyance interviews of [redacted] and/or [redacted]

b7C

[Rowland]

The Los Angeles Division should forward to the Bureau all available back issues of "One" as it is contemplated they will be furnished to the Department of Justice and/or to the postal authorities for review.

For your future information, Bufiles reflect a case entitled "W. Dorr Legg, wa. Don Legg, Security Matter - G" in which the Portland Office was origin and which reflected that Legg was suspected in 1943 of having Nazi Bund literature in his apartment at Corvallis, Oregon, but the case was closed when no evidence of such literature was found. Investigation revealed Legg had made anti-Jewish and anti-New Deal statements, but had not expressed himself in any subversive manner. Other than this reference, no other facts could be identified with Legg in Bufiles.

For the information of the Portland Office, the November, 1955, issue of "One" magazine contained an article, "How Much Do We Know About The Homosexual Male?" by David L. Freeman, listed in the magazine as its Circulation Manager.

RECEIVED
MAR 26 3 00 PM '56

The article reported in part that the "Tories" composed one of the three main groups of homosexual society, and the article continued "They work at Time Magazine or the New Yorker. They are in the 'diplomatic' circles."

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/84 BY SP4 [signature]

Tolson _____
Boardman _____
Nichols _____
Belmont _____
Harbo _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
 Sizoo _____
Winterrowd _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

2 cc's - Detroit

2 cc's - Portland

Follow-up for April 4, 1956

NOTE: (S.A.) [signature] page 1
CEM meb

(9)

MAILED 1
[signature]

SAC, Los Angeles

March 22, 1956

matic service, they occupy key positions with oil companies or the FBI (It's true!). "

Los Angeles Agents endeavored to interview William Lambert, an official of the magazine who was sarcastic and he would furnish no information. The Los Angeles Office subsequently identified Lambert as William Dorr Legg, was. William Don Legg, William Lagg, FBI #614452B.

The Portland Office should refer to its file 100-5922 and thereafter conduct appropriate investigation in a discreet manner to ascertain all available background information concerning Legg.

The Los Angeles and Portland Offices should reply to this communication no later than April 2, 1956, and the Detroit Office should furnish results of investigation requested by Los Angeles letter of March 9, 1956, no later than April 2, 1956.

NOTE See Jones to Nichols memo entitled "'One,' The Homosexual Magazine, published by One, Inc., 232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles 12, California, CEM" dated 3-19-56. ~~CEM~~ meeb.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (100-403320)

DATE March 28, 1956

FROM : *WB* SAC, Detroit (94-300)

SUBJECT

C
 "ONE", THE HOMOSEXUAL
 MAGAZINE PUBLISHED BY ONE,
 INC., 232 SOUTH HILL STREET,
 LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
 RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)

In response to Los Angeles letter to the Bureau of March 9, 1956, two copies to Detroit, Detroit was requested to attempt to verify birth records, develop background on LEGG as well as information concerning his arrest records and probation record.

Los Angeles was furnished requested information by airtel from Detroit dated March 26, 1956, a copy of which is attached for the full information of the Bureau.

Records of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor are currently being checked for additional background.

2 - Bureau (AMSD) (Encl.)
 1 - Los Angeles (100-53803)
 1 - Detroit

RHS:EAE
 (4)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 2/9/84 BY SP4/6/84

RECORDED-31

INDEXED-31

CV 118

ENCLOSURE

100-403320-25
4/12
 MAR 29 1956

EX-100-403320-25

C O P Y

3/26/56

FROM: SAC, Detroit (94-300)
TO: SAC, Los Angeles (100-53803)

"ONE", THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC., 232
South Hill Street, Los Angeles
12, California
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Re Los Angeles Airtel 3/15/56.

SA [redacted] on 2/22/56 personally reviewed the
identification record # 81425 of the Detroit PD on
WILLIAM D. LEGG. b7C

On 1/24/47 at 2:47 a.m. he was arrested by officer [redacted]
[redacted] at the corner of Sibley and Woodward (downtown Detroit)
for accosting and soliciting in violation of Section 448
of the Michigan Penal Code. This arrest was dismissed on
the following day. b7C

This same individual on January 29, 1949 at 1:00 a.m.
was arrested and charged with gross indecency. LEGG
and one [redacted] colored, age [redacted] were both
arrested when LEGG was observed by police officers performing
an act of oral perversion on [redacted] in an automobile
parked at the intersection of Bellvedere and Sylvester
Street, Detroit. Following pleas of guilty both men
were convicted and sentenced to one year probation on
5/25/49. [Marvin E.] b7C

On 2/22/56 SA [redacted] personally reviewed the probation file of
WILLIAM D. LEGG (# 46637). The file reflects WILLIAM D. LEGG,
born 12/15/04 at Ann Arbor, Mich., classified as a native of
Ann Arbor, father, FRANK, died in 1947 and his mother,
FRANCIS died in 1939, brother, VICTOR, age 50, brother,
[redacted] were listed without addresses. LEGG's residence
was given as Apartment 402 at 11892 Ohio, which was described
as a five story brick apartment building in a fair and
stable neighborhood. b7C

2 - Los Angeles (Encl. 1) (AM)
1 - Detroit
RHS:DHD

(ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED O P Y
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/84 BY SP4HUP/jf
ENCLOSURE

PAGE TWO

LEGG claims to have been graduated from the University of Michigan as an architect, to have been employed by the New York City Authorities in the office of City Planner and to have taught at Oregon State College until 1944 when he arrived in Detroit. He claims he was self employed as a personnel counselor until his arrest. He never married. He is a member of the Christian Science Church, Detroit. He was described as uncooperative, suspicious with superior intelligence and not psychotic. He was considered as "very arrogant" by the examiners according to the file. The examiners also noted that "his deviated interests are of long standing and not amenable to treatment." He is physically described as white, male, 5' 11½", 170, English nationality, work experience, office work, slender, medium build, brown hair, blue eyes, medium complexion, good teeth.

The file further reflects that Attorney [REDACTED] of 1968 Penobscot Building, Detroit, an attorney representing the Christian Science Church was given permission to review the file by the court. At a later date when the probation was considered concerning the arrest, it was stated that the church authorities were attempting to expell him from membership.

b7C

A photograph from the file of the Detroit Police Department was obtained and is included herewith. Resubmit if review of University of Michigan records desired.

RUC.

BROWN

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (100-403320)

DATE March 30, 1956

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles (100-53803)

SUBJECT: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

In compliance with the request contained in referenced letter, the issues of "One" listed below are being transmitted to the Bureau herewith. For the information of the Bureau, [redacted] advised that he has a substantially complete library of this publication. [redacted] the Abbey Lithographers, 228 East 3rd Street, Los Angeles, which company has printed all issues of "One" since its inception, with the exception of the February and March, 1953, and February, 1954, issues, has at least one original copy of each of the issues of "One" printed by that company. The following are the issues of "One" being sent herewith to the Bureau:

b2
b7D
b7C

Vol. 1, No. 1, January, 1953 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 1, No. 2, February, 1953 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 1, No. 3, March, 1953 - Photostatic copy; Original in the possession of [redacted]

b2
b7D

Vol. 1, No. 4, April, 1953 - Original copy --

Vol. 1, No. 5, May, 1953 - Photostatic copy; Original in possession of [redacted]

b7C
b7D

Vol. 1, No. 6, June, 1953 - Photostatic copy; Original in possession of [redacted]

Vol. 1, No. 7, July, 1953 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 1, No. 8, August, 1953 - Photostatic copy; Original in possession of [redacted]

3 - Bureau (Encls. 3)
- (1 - Package)
1 - Los Angeles

RECORDED-3
EX-118
INDEXED-3
ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 2/7/81 BY SP4 [redacted]

ENCLOSURE

53 APR 19 1956
(4)

EX-118

CR [redacted]

LA 100-53803

Vol. 1, No. 9, September, 1953 - Photostatic copy;
Original in possession of [redacted]

Vol. 1, No. 10, October, 1953 - Photostatic copy;
Original in possession of [redacted]

b7C

Vol. 1, No. 11, November, 1953 - Original copy, secured from [redacted] b7D

Vol. 1, No. 12, December, 1953 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 2, No. 1, January, 1954 - Original copy --

Vol. 2, No. 2, February, 1954 - Photostatic copy;
Original in possession of [redacted]

b2

b7D

Vol. 2, No. 3, March, 1954 - Original copy --

Vol. 2, No. 4, April, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 2, No. 5, May, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 2, No. 6, June, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 2, No. 7, July, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

b7C

Vol. 2, No. 8, October, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted] b7D

Vol. 2, No. 9, November, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 2, No. 10, December, 1954 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3, No. 1, January, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3, No. 2, February, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

LA 100-53803

Vol. 3. No. 3. March. 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 4. April. 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 5. May. 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 6. June, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 7. July, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

b7C

b7D

Vol. 3. No. 8. August, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 9. September, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 10. October, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 11. November, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 3. No. 12. December, 1955 - Original copy, secured from [redacted]

Vol. 4, No. 1, January, 1956 - Original copy, purchased on newstand at 6th and Hill Streets, Los Angeles.

There is also attached a copy of the April, 1956, issue of the publication, "Fortnight," Vol. 19, No. 4, published by O. D. Keep Associates, Inc., 748 North La Cienega Boulevard, Los Angeles 46, California. On pages 28 and 29 appears an article captioned "The Nation's Bureau U. S. Attorney," which refers to the United States Attorney's Office in Los Angeles. On page 29 commencing with the last paragraph, column one, there appears a brief

LA 100-53803

reference to the Federal action taken against "One" magazine. A copy of this issue of "Fortnight" is attached for the information of the Bureau in view of the above and because of the general comments contained therein, which may be of interest to the Bureau.

The Detroit Office by teletype dated 3/26/56 reported that Identification Record No. 81425 of the Detroit Police Department contains the arrest record of WILLIAM D. LEGG, who operates One, Inc., under the name of WILLIAM LAMBERT. This record reflects that on 1/24/47 LEGG was arrested on a charge of accosting and soliciting in violation of Section 448 of the Michigan Penal Code. This arrest was dismissed on the following day.

On 1/29/49 he was arrested for gross indecency. LEGG and one [redacted] colored, age [redacted] were both arrested when LEGG was observed by police officers performing an act of oral perversion on [redacted] in an automobile in Detroit. Following plea of guilty, both men were convicted and sentenced to one year probation on 5/25/49.

b7C Marvin

The probation file on WILLIAM D. LEGG, No. 46637, indicated that LEGG was born 12/15/04 at Ann Arbor, Michigan, classified as a native of Ann Arbor. His father FRANK died in 1947 and his mother FRANCES died in 1939. His brothers were listed as VICTOR LEGG, age 50, and [redacted] age [redacted] LEGG claimed to have been a graduate from the University of Michigan as an architect and to have been employed by the New York City authorities in the office of City Planner and to have taught at Oregon State College until 1944 when he arrived in Detroit. He claims he was self-employed as a personnel counselor until his arrest. He never married. He was described as an uncooperative, suspicious individual with superior intelligence and not psychotic. He was considered as "very arrogant" by the examiners, who also noted that "his deviated interests are of long standing and not amenable to treatment." His physical description was given as white, male, 5'11", 170 pounds, English

b7C

LA 100-53803

nationality, work experience - office work, slender build, brown hair, blue eyes, medium complexion, good teeth. A photograph furnished by Detroit to Los Angeles reflects the above individual to be identical with WILLIAM D. LEGG, alias William Lambert.



Federal Bureau of Investigation

Freedom of Information / Privacy Acts

Release

Subject: MATTACHINE SOCIETY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
FOIPA
DELETED PAGE INFORMATION SHEET

Serial Description ~ COVER SHEET

04/02/1956

Total Deleted Page(s) ~ 12

Page 50 ~ b7D

Page 52 ~ Duplicate to enclosure 100-403320 ser.23

Page 53 ~ Duplicate to enclosure 100-403320 ser.23

Page 54 ~ Duplicate Duplicate to enclosure 100-403320 ser. 23

Page 144 ~ b1

Page 145 ~ b1

Page 146 ~ b1

Page 147 ~ b1

Page 148 ~ b1

Page 149 ~ b1

Page 150 ~ b1

Page 151 ~ b1

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
X Deleted Page(s) X
X No Duplication Fee X
X for this Page X
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)
FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (100-9230)
SUBJECT: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA

DATE: 4/2/56

b7C

RE: WILLIAM DORR LEGG

Rebulet to Los Angeles 3/22/56. Reference is also made to reports of SA [redacted] and SA [redacted] both Portland, dated 10/21/43 and 11/29/43, respectively, Portland file 100-5922.

b7C

Current investigation disclosed the following information.

The records of the office of the President, Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon, as made available by [redacted] on March 29, 1956, reflect an application by WILLIAM DORR LEGG dated October 28, 1935, which contains LEGG's date of birth as December 15, 1904, at Ann Arbor, Michigan. He attended the University of Michigan from 1922 to 1928 receiving a BA degree in 1926 and Bachelor of Music and Master of Landscape Design degrees in 1928. He attended the Lake Forrest Foundation the summer of 1928. According to the file, he was employed as a Landscape Architect at Tampa, Florida, during 1925 and 1926 and for the City of New York under one [redacted] from 1928 to 1936.

b7C

LEGG joined the Staff at Oregon State College Landscape and Architectural Department, September, 1936, when he was selected by Department Head Professor A. L. PECK to replace a previous employee. The file reflects a letter in which LEGG requested sabbatical leave for the school year beginning September, 1942, to do volunteer work as a religious counsellor at Camp Adair, Oregon, he being a Christian Science Practitioner. The request was not granted, and he resigned October 1, 1942.

On 3/29/56, [redacted] Clerk, Selective Service System, 811 N. E. Oregon, Portland, made available a registration card which has been maintained on WILLIAM DORR LEGG. The remainder of this individual's SS file has been destroyed. The

b7C

2-Bureau (100-403320) (AM)
1-Los Angeles (100-538037)
1-Portland (100-9230)
LEE:jdt

APR 19 1956

RECORDED-31

EX-118

100-403320-27
ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10/01/81 BY SP/ML

PD 100-9230

card reflected that LEGG registered under Selective Service on 10/16/40, and at that time was living at 2917 Orchard, Corvallis, Oregon. As noted previously, LEGG was born on 12/15/04, at Ann Arbor, Michigan. His signature was "W. DORR LEGG". LEGG furnished the name of Oregon State College, Corvallis, as his employer. 24 /

LEGG received the following draft classifications:

On 1/16/42	2 A	"Essential",
On 7/22/42	4 D	"Minister of Religion",
On 1/7/43	4 H	"Over-age".

LEGG provided the following description for the registration card:

Race	White
Height	6'0"
Weight	150 lbs.
Eyes	Blue
Hair	Brown
Complexion	Light

There was no further information in SS files.

The Christian Scientist Journal searched for the period 1939 to 1946 disclosed that during the period 1942 to 1944 W. DORR LEGG was listed as a Christian Scientist Practitioner and Teacher in Corvallis, Oregon. His residence was given as 2912 Orchard Street, Corvallis.

The Portland City Directory, checked over a period of years, disclosed in the 1943 - 1944 edition only that W. DORR LEGG was a Christian Scientist Practitioner at 724-25 American Bank Building, Portland. His residence was Corvallis.

A discreet inquiry disclosed that LEGG was a close friend and Christian Scientist associate of one [redacted] also a Christian Scientist Practitioner, Portland in 1943 - 1944. The current Christian Scientist Journal reflects that [redacted] has a business address now of [redacted] San Francisco, California. Her telephone is [redacted] [redacted] is believed to be well regarded among Christian Scientist associates in Portland. Her present connection, if any, and attitude toward LEGG is unknown. b7C

PD 100-9230

LEGG himself is almost unknown in Portland among individuals who might have been expected to know him through his former Christian Scientist connection. It appeared that he came to Portland only to see Christian Scientist patients. His residence remained in Corvallis.

CREDIT AND IDENTIFICATION

The files of the Corvallis Credit Bureau as made available by [redacted] reflect a file since 1936 with the last inquiry in 1945 at which time LEGG's address was 1162 Book Building, Detroit, Michigan. The file reflects a satisfactory credit rating and no unfavorable information.

b7C

There is no record of LEGG in the files of the Corvallis Police Department as searched by [redacted] on March 29, 1956, or in the file of the Benton County Sheriff's Office as searched by [redacted] on the same date.

b7C

On 3/30/56, [redacted] Clerk, Retail Credit Association of Portland, could find no record for LEGG.

The following individuals who are connected with the law enforcement agencies indicated advised that their files contain no record for LEGG:

[redacted] Portland Police Department;
[redacted] Fingerprint Section, Portland Police
Department:
[redacted] Identification Division,
Multnomah County Sheriff's Office.

b7C

Files of the Portland Office contain no further information on captioned individual.

- RUC -

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (100-403320)

DATE: April 3, 1956

FROM : SAC, Detroit (94-300)

SUBJECT:

"ONE" THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
 PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
 232 SOUTH HILL STREET
 LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
 RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
 Origin: Los Angeles

Re Los Angeles Letter to Bureau 3/9/56;
 Detroit Letter to Los Angeles 3/26/56; Bureau Letter to
 Los Angeles 3/22/56; and Detroit letter to Bureau 3/28/56
 captioned as above.

[redacted] Receptionist, Alumni
 Catalog Office, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan,
 on March 30, 1956, made available her records which indicate
 that one WILLIAM DORR LEGG initially entered the University
 of Michigan September 14, 1921, and attended regularly during
 the Spring Term of 1930. He obtained an A.B. Degree in 1926,
 a Bachelor of Music Degree in 1928, and a Master of Landscape
 Design Degree in 1928. For the period 1929-1930, he was en-
 rolled in the School of Architecture as a non-matriculating
 student.

b7C

It is noted that on the bulk of University
 enrollment forms this individual carried his name as W.
 DORR LEGG. Enrollment data reflects his date of birth as
 December 15, 1904, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, his parents being
 identified as Mr. and Mrs. FRANK E. LEGG, of 414 Maynard Street,
 Ann Arbor, Michigan. He consistently listed with the University
 as "adult acquaintances" who would be aware of his address,
 AUBREY TEALDI, ALFRED FERGUSON and EARL V. MOORE. All of these
 individuals were Professors at the University, the last named
 being presently the Dean of the School of Architecture.

Records reflected the following addresses for
 LEGG for the periods noted:

335 West 11th Street
 New York, New York
 (1929)

RECORDED-3

INDEXED

- 2 - Bureau
- 2 - Los Angeles (100-53803)
- 2 - Portland (100-5922)
- 1 - Detroit

JRC:MLW
 (7)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
 DATE 2/9/84 BY SP4/MLW

Letter to Director, FBI

Re: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
Origin: Los Angeles

34 Jewett Avenue
Ann Arbor, Michigan
(1927)

11 Dozer Avenue
White Plains, New York
(1931-1933)

22 Lenox Avenue
White Plains, New York
(1934)

33 Lenox
White Plains, New York
(1935)
(business - 342 Madison Avenue, New York,
New York - 1935)

Corvallis, Oregon
(1936)
(business - Assistant Professor, Landscape,
Architecture, Oregon State College
- 1936)

865 Van Buren Street
Corvallis, Oregon
(1936)

Box 433
Corvallis, Oregon
(1936)

2725 Arnold Way
Corvallis, Oregon
(1938)

11318 South West Milston Road
Portland, Oregon
(1942)

Letter to Director, FBI

Re: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
Origin: Los Angeles

2912 Orchard Street
Corvallis, Oregon
(1939, 1940, 1942)

727 American Bank Building
Portland, Oregon
(1943)

292 Orchard Street
Corvallis, Oregon
(1943)

414 Maynard Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan
(1944)

11892 Ohio Street
Detroit 4, Michigan
(1946)

4959 Hollywood Boulevard
Los Angeles 27, California
(1949)

Post Office Box 7692
Los Angeles 15, California
(1951)

It is to be noted that the last listed address is the current address for the Subject listed with University alumni records.

These records note that the Subject's two brothers attended the University of Michigan. These individuals were identified as [redacted] AB 1933, MS 1934, and VICTOR ELDRED LEGG, AB 1920, MS 1922. Alumni records contain an unidentified newspaper clipping under date of May 1945 noting that the Subject was employed as Assistant Professor of Landscape

b7C

Letter to Director, FBI

Re: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
Origin: Los Angeles

Architecture at Oregon State College for some years prior to 1945 and was at the time of the clipping located at 1162 Book Building, Detroit 26, Michigan.

Alumni records note the following employment history for the Subject for the periods noted.

Professional Experience: Landscape Architecture Practice
as follows:

[REDACTED]
Tampa, Florida
(1925)

[REDACTED]
New York City
(1928, 1929)

[REDACTED]
White Plains, New York
(1929-1930)

[REDACTED]
New York City, New York
(1930-1935)

b7C

Private Commissions:

Oregon State Fair, Salem.
Linn County Court House, Albany.

Oregon College of Education
Monmouth (Master Plan)

Richards Garage Building
Corvallis, Oregon

Letter to Director, FBI

Re: "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
Origin: Los Angeles

Private Places: Newberg, Portland, Corvallis, Scotch
Plains, New York.

Assistant Professor - Oregon State College 1935 to date of
record (1941).

This same form under "memberships" lists the
following:

American Society of Landscape Architects
(Boston), Member of San Francisco Chapter.

Oregon Society of Landscape Architects;

Kappa Kappa Alpha.

In addition this employment records notes that the
Subject has contributed articles to "House Beautiful," "Landscape
and Garden," (London) "Pencil Points," "Landscape Architecture,"
and various newspapers. He is noted as a member of the Garden
Festival 1940 and indicates he held various offices in that
organization in 1941.

[redacted] Ann Arbor Credit Bureau, on
March 30, 1956, reviewed his records and advised that his files
contain reference to one WILLIAM DORR LEGG, who in 1935 was
employed with the University of Oregon. This individual's
father was listed as FRANK LEGG, who resided at 1487 Jewett,
Ann Arbor, Michigan, until his death some ten years ago. These
records note that in 1945 WILLIAM DORR LEGG was employed as a
Christian Science Practitioner with offices at 1162 Book Build-
ing, Detroit, Michigan. At that time he was listed as a single,
white male, American. In 1945 he resided at the Hotel Tuller,
Detroit, Michigan.

b7C

[redacted] advised that [redacted]
brother of the Subject, has been employed as [redacted]
[redacted] at the University of Michigan since [redacted] He advised
that a clipping in his files relates to this brother, [redacted]

b7C

Letter to Director, FBI

Re: "ONE" THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH MATTER (CRIME RECORDS)
Origin: Los Angeles

noting that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The clipping states that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] in [REDACTED] married [REDACTED] of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

b7C

The current University of Michigan Directory
for its staff carries a listing for [REDACTED]
employed as [REDACTED]
His wife, [REDACTED] is listed as [REDACTED]

b7C

[REDACTED] at the University of Michigan
and the residence for both of these individuals is carried
as [REDACTED] Ann Arbor, Michigan.

[REDACTED] Record Bureau, Ann Arbor
Police Department, caused a review to be made of her records
on March 30, 1956, and advised that her records contain no
reference to the Subject or other known members of his family.

[REDACTED] Vice Squad, Ann Arbor
Police Department, advised on April 2, 1956, that the Subject
is unknown to him and that the Vice Squad records contain no
reference to him.

b7C

All of the information set out above was
obtained by SA [REDACTED] on March 30, 1956.

RUC.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

DATE 4/9/56

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

SUBJECT : "ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 South Hill Street
Los Angeles 12, California
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Reference Los Angeles letter to the Bureau dated 3/15/56.

Attached for the information of the Bureau are two copies of the February, 1956, issue of "One" Magazine. These copies were purchased at a local newsstand at 5th And Hill Streets, Los Angeles, 4/6/56. This issue was just released for sale.

On Page 10, Column 2, Paragraphs 1 and 2 it will be noted that brief reference is made to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

It is also noted that the name [redacted] does not appear in the masthead of this issue, nor does the name [redacted] appear in the contents as connected with the magazine or with "ONE," Inc.

b7C

2 - Bureau (Enc.2)
1 - Los Angeles

ITW:SSB
(3)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP4 dml/ll

59 APR 18 1956

4-17
EC-7

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP4/LL/PL

100-45520-29

one



The
Homosexual
Magazine

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

The front and back of the book "One The
Homosexual Magazine" was scanned in.
There are 30 pages that were not scanned in.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ann Carl Reid, *Chairman*

Don Slater, *Vice Chairman*

William Lambert, *Secretary-Treasurer*

ARCADIE

Monthly magazine in French; literary and scientific,
infrequent photos and drawings \$9 yearly

162 Rue Jeanne d'Arc, Paris XIII, France.

VRIENDSCHAP

Monthly magazine in Dutch, photos and drawings,
also articles about women \$4 yearly

Postbox 542, Amsterdam, Holland.

ICSE NEWSLETTER

Published every other month by the International
Committee for Sexual Equality Available in English,
French or German \$5 yearly

Postbox 1564, Amsterdam, Holland.

one

[Julber memo]

FD-203
(3-0-54)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

FORM NO. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT LOS ANGELES

REPORT MADE AT LOS ANGELES	DATE WHEN MADE MAR 2 1956	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 2/3,20-29/56	REPORT MADE BY <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px;"></div> b7C 1-2
TITLE <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px;"></div> wa. b7C			CHARACTER OF CASE SECURITY MATTER - C
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: [redacted] reported to have been the opening speaker at a Progressive Citizens of America sponsored meeting in the Los Angeles area in Nov. 1947, other speakers being [redacted] and HOWARD KOCH. [redacted] was listed as the Students for Wallace representative when he was reported to have appeared as a speaker at a Progressive Citizens of America rally held in the Los Angeles area in March 1948, other speakers on the program being [redacted] is indicated as sharing office space with [redacted] attorney. [redacted] LOUIS F. BUDENZ described [redacted] Los Angeles lawyer, as having been reported to him (BUDENZ) through official Communist Party channels as a Communist Party member. [redacted] is the attorney for One, Inc., publishers of the magazine "One," which is described in the contents of the Nov. 1955 issue as "The Homosexual Magazine." (S) u b7C [Eric Julber]			
<p style="text-align: center;">- P -</p> <p>ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE.</p> <p>DETAILS:</p> <p>All informants designated by T symbol in this report have furnished reliable information in the past.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Classified by SP4 [signature] Declassify on: OADR 2/10/84</p> <p style="text-align: center;">4-3-85</p>			
APPROVED AND FORWARDED	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES	
COPIES OF THIS REPORT ④ Bureau (REGISTERED) 4 Los Angeles (3-100-53757) (1-100-45888)		NOT RECORDED 102 AF 1956	

PROPERTY OF FBI—This report is loaned to you by the FBI, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside of agency to which loaned

APR 23 1956

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16-60837-3
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

PERSONAL HISTORY

Birth Data

[redacted] Secretary,
Registrar's Office, University
of California at Los Angeles (UCLA),
Westwood Village, California (2/23/56)

b7C

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] that the
records at UCLA list [redacted] date and place of birth as
[redacted] at [redacted]

Parents

Clerk of Federal District
Court, Federal Building,
Los Angeles, California (1946)

The above records were checked by SA [redacted]
in 1946. They reflect that a certificate of arrival for [redacted]
[redacted] dated September 13, 1938, sets forth her date of entrance
into the United States as [redacted] Vermont,
via automobile. In her petition for naturalization to become
a U.S. citizen she gave her residence as [redacted]
Los Angeles, and her place of birth as [redacted]
[redacted] She gave her husband's name as [redacted] whom she
married [redacted] at [redacted] was
indicated to have become a naturalized U. S. citizen on [redacted]
[redacted] at Los Angeles.

b7C

A certificate of arrival dated March 6, 1935, disclosed
that OSWALDI JOULBERT entered the United States at New York on
September 4, 1923, via the "SS Thuringia." A declaration to
become a U. S. citizen dated April 10, 1935, filed under the
name of OVADY JULBER, 1309 Ocean Front Boulevard, Santa Monica,
California, gave his date of birth as June 8, 1900, Kamenetz-
Podolsk, Russia, and his occupation as musician. He stated
that he had one child, [redacted] born [redacted]
at New York City. OVADY JULBER's last foreign address was
given as Berlin, Germany. He immigrated to the United States
from Hamburg, Germany.

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

Education

[redacted]
(supra), (2/23/56)

b7C

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] that [redacted] is a graduate of Hollywood High, Hollywood, California. Following his graduation he attended Redlands University, Redlands, California, in 1943. He enrolled at UCLA in October 1945 and graduated on June 17, 1948, receiving an A.B. Degree. He majored in Political Science.

[redacted]
Police Department,
UCLA (2/23/56)

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] that [redacted] was a student in the theater arts at UCLA while on the campus and was active in student productions.

b7C

[redacted]
Registrar, Loyola University,
School of Law, 1135 South
Grand Avenue, Los Angeles
(2/23/56)

b7C

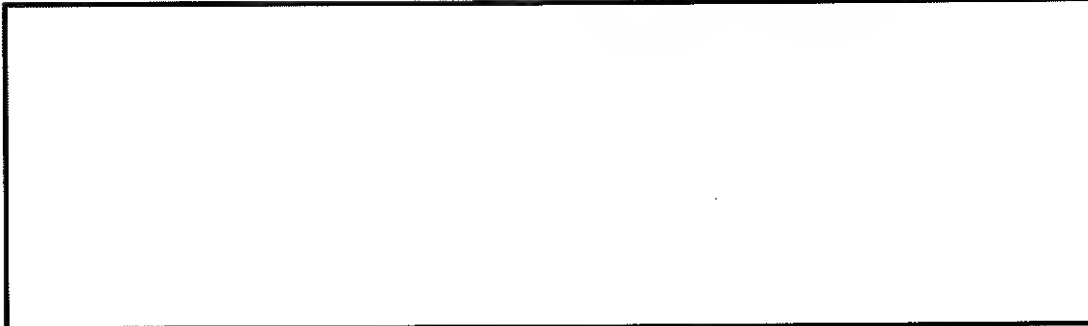
These records indicate that [redacted] was admitted to Loyola University School of Law on September 30, 1948, and graduated with an LL.B. Degree on June 17, 1951.

Marital Status

Clerk of the Los Angeles
County Superior Court,
File D484185, Hall of Records,
Los Angeles (2/3/56)

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~



b7C

Military Service

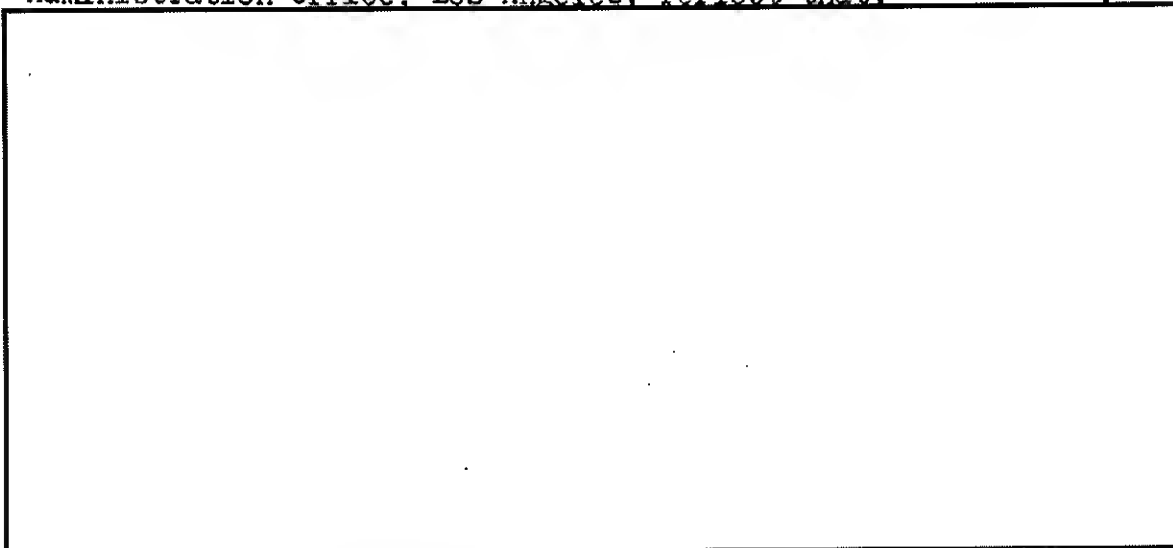
[redacted]
(supra)(2/23/56)

The records at UCLA reflect that [redacted] entered the United States Navy on October 23, 1943, and received an honorable discharge on February 21, 1945, due to physical disability. He was discharged at the United States Navy Hospital, Farragut, Idaho. His U. S. Navy serial number was listed as [redacted] and his rating as Seaman Second Class.

b7C

([redacted] (2/23/56)) (X) u

Informant stated that the records at the Veterans Administration Office, Los Angeles, reflect that [redacted]



b2

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ - 4 -

LA 100-53757

Identification Record

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Los Angeles Police Department
and Los Angeles County Sheriff's
Office (2/24/56)

SE [] caused a check to be made at the above police agencies and no criminal record was found on []. The records at the Los Angeles Police Department did reflect that [] had been fingerprinted on October 27, 1955, at the time he made application for a secondhand dealer's permit. His fingerprint classification was set forth as follows:

b7C



b7C

Employment

[]
California State Bar
Association, 458 South
Spring Street, Los Angeles
(2/23/56)

Records of the California State Bar Association reflect that []

[] was admitted to the California State Bar on 9 January 1952 and is in the private practice of law. He took his prelaw at UCLA and his law studies at Loyola University at Los Angeles.

b7C

Pacific Telephone and Telegraph
Street Directory, Los Angeles,
Issue of January 18, 1956

The above directory lists [] attorney, as having offices in []

[] view
[] Also listed in [] is [] with the same telephone numbers.

b7C

Los Angeles Police Commission
File 8267, Los Angeles Police
Building (2/20/56)

The above file contains applications for a secondhand dealer's license for [] who has law offices at []

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ 5 -

LA 100-53757

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills. The file indicates that his applications were approved and that he is an officer in the following organizations which also have secondhand dealer's licenses:

Worldwide Automotive Import, Inc.
1968 South Sepulveda Boulevard
Los Angeles, Telephone GRanite 8-1142

The application for a secondhand dealer's permit to participate in this business on the part of [redacted] was approved by the Police Commission on February 6, 1956. [redacted] advised the Police Commission that he has no financial interest in the business and takes no active part in its affairs.

b7C

[redacted] of the organization was listed as [redacted] Los Angeles 24 [redacted] telephone [redacted] who gave his date and place of birth as [redacted] stated he is not a United States citizen.

[redacted] was also listed as [redacted] in the American Camera Exchange, Room 328, 210 West 7th Street, Los Angeles. This permit was approved in November 1955. Others connected with the business were listed as [redacted] husband and wife.

b7C

An interview under a suitable pretext was had with [redacted] on February 27, 1956, by Special Agents of the FBI. During the interview [redacted] stated that [redacted] is merely an officer in the American Camera Exchange, serving as its attorney [redacted]. He stated that [redacted] takes no active part in the organization's operations.

b7C

[redacted]
to the United States Attorney,
Federal Building, Los Angeles
(2/27/56)

[redacted] advised that [redacted] 333 South Beverly Drive, Los Angeles, is the attorney for One, Incorporated, 232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, which organization publishes the magazine "One." The front cover of the November 1955 issue of "One" describes it as "The Homosexual Magazine."

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ 6 -

LA 100-53757

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

In civil case 18764TC, One, Incorporated, Plaintiff, vs. OTTO K. OLESEN, ET AL, Defendants (U.S. Post Office, Los Angeles), ERIC JULBER filed an affidavit on February 1, 1956, stating that he has been the attorney for One, Incorporated, publishers of "One" magazine since Autumn 1953. The above action arose out of the refusal by U. S. Post Office, Los Angeles, to transmit through the mails the October 1954 issue of "One" as a result of the decision by the Solicitor, U.S. Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., to the effect that this particular issue contained obscene, lewd, lascivious, indecent and filthy matter within the meaning of 18 U. S. Code Annotated 1461.

[redacted] advised that the Solicitor of the U. S. Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., ordered the October 1954 issue of this magazine impounded by the Postmaster in order to permit a determination to be made as to whether the contents of that issue are mailable. [redacted] represented One, Incorporated, in its suit against the Government for the return of the October 1954 mailings.

b7C

[Julber]

Residence

Present

Los Angeles Police Commission
File 8267 (supra)(2/20/56)

The above file contains a secondhand dealer's permit granted to [redacted] on February 6, 1956, which lists his address as [redacted] Brentwood, California, telephone [redacted]

b7C

b7C

b7D

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Past

Police Commission File
8267 (supra) (2/20/56)

The above file lists the following past residences
for [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

b7C

Retail Merchants Credit
Association (RMCA) of
Los Angeles, Report
Compiled November 22, 1954

A report of RMCA furnished to SE [redacted] on
February 20, 1956, carries the statement that [redacted]
has resided in the Los Angeles area for 25 years.

b7C

[redacted] Los
Angeles County Voters
Registration Records,
808 North Spring Street,
Los Angeles (2/23/56)

Above records contain a voter's affidavit executed
by [redacted] on February 26, 1954, listing his address as
of that date as [redacted] Los Angeles, with a former
address of [redacted] Los Angeles.

The Los Angeles County Registrar of Voters records
were checked by SA [redacted] in 1946 and they contained
a voter's affidavit executed on March 7, 1944, by [redacted]
[redacted] which listed her residence as of that time at [redacted]
[redacted] Los Angeles, with a prior address of [redacted]
[redacted] Los Angeles.

b7C

8
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

b7C

[redacted]
(supra)(2/23/56)

The records at the Loyola University School of Law reflect that as of September 30, 1948, [redacted] listed his residence address as [redacted] Los Angeles 28.

[redacted]
(supra)(2/23/56)

The records at UCLA set forth the following former residences for [redacted]

1945 - [redacted]
Los Angeles 28 (parents)

1946 - [redacted]
Los Angeles 28 (parents)

1946 - [redacted]
Los Angeles 24 (parents)

1948 - [redacted]
Los Angeles 28 (parents)

b7C

ACTIVITIES INDICATING A FURTHERANCE OF THE
COMMUNIST PARTY(CP) PROGRAM

Progressive Citizens of America (PCA)

The following organizations which will be referred to hereinafter are described as follows:

California Committee on Un-American Activities, Report 1947, page 369, Report 1948, page 354, Report 1949, Page 352

The above reports cited the PCA as a "new and broader Communist front for the entire United States" formed in 1946 at the direction of "Communist steering committees" from the "Communist-dominated National Citizens Political Action Committee" and the "Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions."

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

California Committee on Un-American Activities, Report 1948, pages 41 and 62, Report 1949, page 317

The above reports describe the Independent Progressive Party (IPP) as "among typical mass organizations that are victims of Communist domination." The IPP was further described as "one of the basic Communist fronts in a coalition under the banner of the third party movement to elect HENRY WALLACE President of the United States."

California Committee on Un-American Activities, Report 1949, page 361

This report described the Students for Wallace as follows:

"This Communist-front activity was organized originally by the Communist front, Progressive Citizens of America. It was active on California campuses in national agitation, support and defense of known Communists, agitation against legislative investigating committees and political campaigning for the Communist-controlled third party. It also featured the Communist Party line against military training. After the 1948 election it merged with Young Progressives, the youth section of the third party movement, and the combination took over the functions and activities of American Youth for Democracy, which had been the direct successor to the Young Communist League."

The People's Educational Center has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

The National Council of American-Soviet Friendship has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

The American Youth for Democracy (AYD) has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

"Report on the National Lawyers Guild, Legal Bulwark of the Communist Party," Released 9/17/50 by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

This report, on page 1, describes the National Lawyers Guild (NLG) as follows:

"The National Lawyers Guild is the foremost legal bulwark of the Communist Party, its front organizations and controlled unions. Since its inception it has never failed to rally to the legal defense of the Communist Party and individual members thereof, including known espionage agents. It has consistently fought against national, state and local legislation aimed at curbing the Communist conspiracy."

"Daily Bruin," UCLA
Campus Newspaper

The November 11, 1947, issue of the "Daily Bruin" carried the following advertisement:

"Vote First and Come Over
Progressive Citizens of America
Presents
S I G N I F I C A N C E
Of The Thomas Committee
-Speakers-

- * EARL ROBINSON
(Famous Composer)
- * HOWARD KOCH
(One of 19 Un-Friendly Witnesses)
- * DR. HARRY HOIJER
(Asso. Prof. of Anthro.)
- * DR. CARL EPLING
(Prof. of Botany)
- * ERIC JULBER
(Author of Hollywood D.C.)
- * DR. HOWARD GILHOUSEN, Chairman
(Assoc. Prof. of Psych)

Wednesday, Nov. 12
574 Hilgard Ave. 2 - 4 P.M.
Vote First and Come Over"

- 11 ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

[ONE'S Lawyer]

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

The address 574 Hilgard Avenue is at the UCLA Campus in Westwood Village, Los Angeles.

The "Daily Bruin" issue of November 13, 1947, under the caption "PCA Speakers in Blast at Thomas Hollywood Probe," reported that the PCA had sponsored a meeting at 574 Hilgard where five speakers concentrated "their fire on the House Un-American Activities Committee." The following were listed as speakers, together with comments made by them:

ERIC JULBER, who was indicated to have opened the meeting. He declared that "on campus, red-baiting harms those who do it more than those against whom it is directed." [←]

Dr. CARL EPLING, Professor of Botany, who asserted, that the Thomas Committee "seeks to substitute prejudice and dogma for appeal to reason."

Dr. HARRY HOIJER, Associate Professor of Anthropology, who stated that the primary purpose of the committee is "to frighten professors, students, and scientists from political activity."

EARL ROBINSON, composer of "The House I Live In," who outlined the political and cultural implications of the committee's investigations, relating that the "old Dies Committee had once subpoenaed some of the works of Elizabethan writer CHRISTOPHER MARLOWE as 'red propaganda.'"

HOWARD KOCH, described as one of the 19 "unfriendly" witnesses from Hollywood (subpoenaed before House Committee on Un-American Activities in 1947).

LOUIS F. BUDENZ, former managing editor of the "Daily Worker" and a CP functionary until he broke with the CP in October 1945, advised SA [redacted] on June 29, 1950, that [redacted] attended several enlarged sessions of the National Committee of the CP in the late 1930's and early 1940's along with BUDENZ. He described [redacted] as an active Communist. b7C

The "Daily Worker" is an east coast Communist newspaper.

[redacted] b7C
[redacted] Beverly Hills, advised SA [redacted] b7D

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

on April 5, 1950, that HOWARD KOCH was a screen writer who had "played along" with the Communist Party without being an actual member, and according to [redacted] information KOCH could be depended upon 100 per cent from the Party standpoint and might be termed a defacto CP member. [redacted] advised that [redacted] was an actual member of the CP. b7C b7D

The Fifth Report of the California Senate Fact-Finding Committee on Un-American Activities, 1949, page 422, lists Dr. HARRY HOIJER as a member of the faculty of the People's Educational Center, 1717 North Vine Street, Hollywood.

[redacted] advised in June 1944 that [redacted] was a member of the general committee of the Science Committee of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship. A Personnel Security Questionnaire executed by [redacted] in June 1953 at UCLA lists his name as [redacted] indicating that he had been [redacted] at UCLA since 1924. b2 b7D b7C

The Fifth Report of the California Senate Fact-Finding Committee on Un-American Activities, 1949, page 422, states that Professor HOWARD GILHAUSEN was a member of the faculty of the People's Educational Center, 1717 North Vine Street, Hollywood, in 1945.

"Southern California
Progressive Citizen,"
Issue of April 1948

An item appeared in the above publication under the heading "Wallace Here May 16th (1948) - New Party Leader to Speak at Gilmore." Accompanying the article was a photograph which bore the heading "Running Mate Thrills 12,000 in L.A." Below the photograph appeared the following:

"Sen. Glen H. Taylor poses for picture with Los Angeles community leaders after triumphant Gilmore Stadium rally March 20. Shown on picture from left to right are: William B. Esterman, attorney, candidate for the 20th C.D.; Sen. Taylor; William Elconin, Regional Representative of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America; Phyllis Ziffren, President of Los Angeles Hadassah and a candidate for the Assembly from the 59th A.D., and Ellis E. Patterson, former Congressman

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~¹³ -

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

"and candidate from the 16th C.D. Screen star Ann Revere, Students for Wallace representative Eric Julber, and National PCA Chairman Robert W. Kenny, also addressed the rally.

The "Annual Report of the Committee on Un-American Activities for the Year 1952", released December 28, 1952, on page 60, reports that WILLIAM ESTERMAN, attorney, appeared on October 1, 1952, before the House Committee on Un-American Activities and refused to affirm or deny membership in the Communist Party. This report reflects that during 1951 and 1952 WILLIAM ESTERMAN was identified during the course of testimony given by sworn witnesses who appeared before the House Committee on Un-American Activities as a Communist, one of such witnesses being DAVID AARON, who testified on January 23, 1952.

[redacted] advised on March 22, 1955, that he had known [redacted] to be a member of the Los Angeles County Communist Party (LACCP) for many years. (S)u

b2
b7D
b7C

The Fourth Report of the California Senate Fact-Finding Committee on Un-American Activities, 1948, pages 239 and 241, reflects that a testimonial dinner was given at the Beverly Wilshire Hotel, Beverly Hills, on March 5, 1948, for the "Hollywood 10," the ten Hollywood Communists who refused to testify before the House Committee on Un-American Activities. A list of the sponsors of the dinner included Mrs. PHYLLIS ZIFFRIN. The "Hollywood 10" were all convicted of contempt of Congress and received sentences in Federal penal institutions.

[redacted] advised on July 15, 1953, that during that year [redacted] who described himself as [redacted] directed a letter to the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Los Angeles, urging a stay of the deportation order against [redacted].

b2
b7C

[redacted] who was a member of the LACCP from [redacted] and had in the past furnished reliable information to the FBI, advised SA [redacted] on June 30, 1949, that [redacted] was then a club functionary in the LACCP.

b7C
b7D

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

On page 46 of the "Annual Report of the Committee on Un-American Activities for the Year 1953," released February 6, 1954, ANN REVERE was identified as a member of the CP by LEE J. COBB, who testified under oath before the Committee on June 2, 1953. The report further reflects that ANN REVERE had appeared before the House Committee on Un-American Activities on April 17, 1951, and refused to affirm or deny CP membership.

LOUIS F. BUDENZ (supra) advised SA [redacted]

[redacted] on June 23, 1951, of the following concerning [redacted]

"I have not met [redacted]

[redacted] and well-known California lawyer. I have been officially advised that he was a CP member, such advice being given to me as early as 1942 by EUGENE DENNIS, then representing the Polit Buro and who was also in control of national affairs of the CP."

OTHER exempt per 77 Civ. 999

b7C

"Los Angeles Times,"
Issue of 3/30/48

The above issue carried an item under the caption "Senator Talks to UCLA Students - and Vice Versa." The article reported that on the preceding night:

"(Senator GLEN) TAYLOR addressed a 'Rally for Peace' in Gilmore Stadium sponsored by the Progressive Citizens of America, Independent Progressive Party of California, Democrats for Wallace, Students for Wallace, trade union and other community groups.....

"He attacked the present administration's foreign policy as being more war-provoking than that of Russia and charged the American press is presenting an untrue picture of Russia's intentions.

- ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

"Other speakers included ROBERT W. KENNY, PCA National Chairman; ANNE REVERE, film actress; WILLIAM ELCONIN, Regional Director of the United Electrical and Radio Workers of America; Mrs. PHYLLIS ZIFFREN, President of the Jewish women's organization Hadassah; HARPER POULSON, Southern California Director of IPP, and ERIC JULBER, representing Students for Wallace."

[redacted] advised in May 1947 that [redacted] was a member of the LACCP and had been a member of the Young Communist League for over ten years. (X) u

b2

b7D

b7C

"Los Angeles Herald Express"
Issue of March 30, 1948

The above issue carried an item bearing the caption "Taylor Blasts All But Stalin." The item referred to the "Rally for Peace" held the preceding night at Gilmore Stadium and during which United States Senator GLEN H. TAYLOR, third party running mate of HENRY A. WALLACE, was the featured speaker. The article reported that TAYLOR "had declared war on almost everybody except Russia and the late FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT after the 'rally for peace' last night at Gilmore Stadium." He was reported to have "vigorously lambasted feudal Arab sheiks, oil companies, President TRUMAN, ex-President HOOVER, Senator VANDENBERG, JOHN FOSTER DULLES, Wall Street, the Marshall Plan and both the Republican and Democratic Parties."

The article stated that other speakers were ANNE REVERE, film actress; WILLIAM ELCONIN, Regional Director of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America; Mrs. PHYLLIS ZIFFREN, President of the Jewish women's organization Hadassah; HARPER POULSON, Southern California Director of the Third Party; and ERIC JULBER, UCLA student.

"ALERT Against Communism in
California," Copyright 1948
by Jacoby & Gibbons and Associates,
127 South Broadway, Room 409,
Los Angeles 12, California

Issue number 20, April 2, 1948, of the above publication on page 1 under the caption "U.S. Flag Treated With Disrespect By California Reds" reads in part as follows:

- 16
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

"A shocking misuse of the American Flag was perpetrated in dodgers and advertisements widely circulated in the Los Angeles metropolitan area over the Easter holiday to promote a Gilmore Stadium rally, sponsored by the Communist-dominated Progressive Citizens of America, Independent Progressive Party, Democrats for Wallace and Students for Wallace.

"Senator GLEN TAYLOR of Idaho, WALLACE's running mate, made an America-baiting, anti-preparedness, Stalin-loving speech at the rally.

"So-called 'Los Angeles community leaders' who spoke included ROBERT W. KENNY, ANN REVERE, WILLIAM ELCONIN, Mrs. PHYLLIS ZIFFREN and HARPER POULSON. All have records as speakers, sponsors, endorsers, supporters of and donors to CP fronts and causes.

"Another speaker was ERIC JULBER, Students for Wallace, claiming to represent the sentiments of 2000 UCLA students, who said:

"'...veterans and students will not serve again, unless in an Army of the United Nations.' He predicted virtual revolt against military service, saying: 'We have rights and we will fight for them.'

"In dodgers and advertisements for the Communist dominated rally, the American Flag was used prominently in connection with a cartoon, depicting an angry, marching mob, headed by a man bearing a close resemblance to HENRY WALLACE. The dodgers and advertisements carried commercial announcements of the sale of tickets for the rally, priced from 60 cents to \$1.80. This is a clearcut instance of the use of the flag to promote an undertaking of a commercial nature---the selling of tickets to a Communist-inspired rally."

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

"Daily Bruin"
Issue of 4/21/48

An article appeared in the above issue of the "Daily Bruin" under the name of ERIC JULBER as author. The article opened as follows:

"I am opposed to any member of AYD representing the ASUCLA (Associated Students, UCLA) in any way, shape or form. Such people only harm the reputation of the University."

"This is an awfully big laugh to anyone who knows the real facts. Why?"

"Because, believe it or not, the rep-at-large that made that statement was himself recently expelled from his fraternity, on charges that his frat brothers don't see fit to reveal!....."

"Yet now this character is declaiming from his seat on Council, on the 'fitness' of other students to represent the ASUCA!"

The foregoing article also directed attack at various actions of the UCLA Student Executive Council (SEC).

The April 23, 1948, issue of the "Daily Bruin" contained an article under the caption "SEC Refuses to Oust 'Bruin' Feature Editor on Charges of 'Bad Taste'" This article reported that the Student Executive Council had considered a motion made to unseat the President of the ASUCLA on the grounds that he had exhibited "terrible discretion" in accepting the article written by ERIC JULBER on the grounds that it contained a "collection of half truths" and "vicious personal attacks." The article stated that the motion had not received approval of the SEC

Interview by Special Agents of the
FBI with [redacted] (2/27/56)

[redacted] the American Camera Exchange and of which [redacted] is an officer, was interviewed under suitable pretext by Special Agents of the FBI. During the course of this interview, the following information concerning [redacted] was developed:

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

[] first met [] several years ago as a customer of the American Camera Exchange, [] being a camera enthusiast. [] later had occasion [] an attorney, and in November 1955 when [] incorporate the American Camera Exchange, [] to handle the legal matters of incorporation. [] stated that he has never observed any conduct on the part of [] nor has he heard him make any comments which would cause [] to question his loyalty to the United States. [] stated he had never heard [] express any pro-Russian or pro-Communist sympathies or any anti-American sentiments.

b7C

[] / *u*

b2

b7D

The above informants, who have furnished information to the FBI for a number of years concerning CP members and CP activities in the Los Angeles area, advised on February 24, 1956, that they have no information concerning [] *u*

b7C

MISCELLANEOUS

[] Office of the
Director of Security, Douglas
Aircraft Company, Inc., Santa
Monica, California

The above individual advised on August 22, 1940, that [] then age [] Hollywood, was apprehended by Patrolman [] of the Douglas Aircraft Company while apparently photographing airplanes taking off and landing at Clover Field, Santa Monica Airport, California, at 3:15 p.m., July 13, 1940. [] was interviewed and claimed that he had not photographed any Army or Navy planes and had exposed only one film which was a photograph of the small planes on the ground near the Municipal Airport. In a signed statement given by [] he declared that he had taken only one picture of the small planes on the ground at the east end of Clover Field and that the eleven other exposed films in the camera had been taken by []

b7C

The above films were developed by Douglas Aircraft and determined to contain nothing of a significant military nature.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

[REDACTED]

b2

b7C

b7D

was [REDACTED] advised on January 4, 1955, that [REDACTED] was a 1955 member of the Hollywood-Beverly Hills Chapter of the NLG.

b7C

As previously set forth in this report [REDACTED] is listed as sharing office space with [REDACTED] LOUIS F. BUDENZ (supra) advised SA [REDACTED] July 10, 1950, that [REDACTED] Los Angeles lawyer, was [REDACTED] of the Los Angeles Chapter of the NLG in 1945. BUDENZ stated that prior to that time he had received information through official CP channels to the effect that [REDACTED] was a CP member but could not recall the exact source of this information. BUDENZ stated that in early 1945 he was definitely advised of the Communist adherence of [REDACTED] through V. J. JEROME and later through JACK STACHEL, both leading functionaries of the CP, USA

b7C

[REDACTED] reported on January 4, 1955, that [REDACTED] was a 1955 member of the Hollywood-Beverly Hills Branch of the NLG.

b2

b7D

b7C

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Los Angeles Police Commission
File No. [REDACTED] (supra) (2/3/56)
UCLA Records (supra), and [REDACTED]

Name

Residence

Sex

Marital Status

Former Wife

Born

Height

Weight

Hair

Eyes

Citizenship

b2

b7D

b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

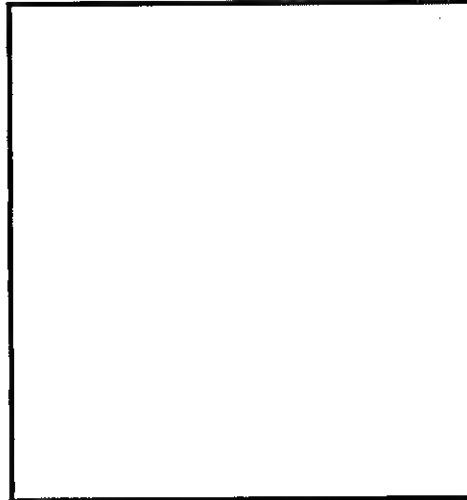
LA 100-53757

Profession
Children

Father

Mother

Military Record



b7C

- P -

- 21 -

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

ADMINISTRATIVE

The indices of the Los Angeles Office contained no information of a derogatory nature identifiable with [redacted]. The interview with him set forth in the details of this report was conducted by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] who made known to [redacted] their official status but interviewed him on collateral matters rather than directly concerning [redacted].

b7C

The indices of the Los Angeles Office contained no references to [redacted] listed as [redacted] of the Worldwide Automotive Import, Inc., of which [redacted] is [redacted].

Los Angeles PCI [redacted] who is acquainted with many homosexuals in the Los Angeles area, advised SA [redacted] on February 26, 1956, that he was a former subscriber to the magazine "One." He stated he had no information concerning [redacted].

b7C

Los Angeles PCI [redacted] who is acquainted with many homosexuals in the Los Angeles area, advised SA [redacted] that he was not aware of the magazine "One" and had no information concerning [redacted]. In a contact he had on [redacted] with [redacted] attorney for the Mattachine Society in Los Angeles, [redacted] inquired as to whether [redacted] was "gay" (homosexual). [redacted] answered "No, he's all right."

b7D

[redacted] Los Angeles Police Department, Intelligence Division, who has conducted some investigation concerning "One, Inc.," had no information concerning [redacted].

b7C

Referenced Bulet to Los Angeles February 15, 1956, sets forth the fact that [redacted] was fingerprinted in connection with employment by the Aircraft War Production Council, Inc., at 7046 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. A pretext telephone call made by SA [redacted] on February 22, 1956, to [redacted] Bookkeeper, Office of the Building, Hollywood Professional Building,

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

Room 318, 7046 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, telephone HOLLYWOOD 4-2173, developed that the Aircraft War Production Council had offices in that building during World War II as a wartime agency. [redacted] stated it was her impression that the organization terminated its offices in the building many years ago and that it had dissolved following the end of the war. She knew of no one in Los Angeles who had been connected with the council. b7C

Referenced Bulet also reflects that [redacted] had been fingerprinted by the Los Angeles Police Department in connection with a traffic violation. [redacted]

[redacted] of the Los Angeles Traffic Division, advised SE [redacted] on February 28, 1956, that the records of the Traffic violations are maintained alphabetically for the past 12 months but that no record of [redacted] was located therein. He advised that it is not practical to attempt to locate older records unless the exact citation number is known. b7C

Los Angeles file 105-0-3376 sets forth information received from [redacted] Hollywood Police Department, February 14, 1951, to the effect that a complaint had been received by the Hollywood Police Department concerning [redacted] and [redacted] Hollywood

The complaint was to the effect that [redacted] and [redacted] were suspected of taking lewd pictures. SA [redacted] contacted [redacted] of the Hollywood Police Department on February 27, 1956, and [redacted] advised that an investigation had been made by the Hollywood Police Department on February 14, 1951, with the following results: b7C

It was determined that [redacted] were residing in [redacted] Hollywood. It developed that there were approximately ten to fifteen people present in the apartment on the occasion and that the group was engaging in taking photographs of a model. There was no evidence developed which indicated any violation within the investigative jurisdiction of the Police Department.

No information is available connecting [redacted] with a basic revolutionary organization within the past five years nor is there any evidence of his membership or participation.

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

- 23 - ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

of a significant nature in any front organization within the past three years. In view of this, no recommendation is being made that he be included in the Security Index Program at this time.

No Security Flash Letter (FD-165) has been submitted on him. [redacted] has not been personally observed by Agents of this office.

Los Angeles County Superior Court records reflect that an interlocutory decree of divorce was granted [redacted] [redacted] There were no references in the Los Angeles Office to [redacted] and she is not included in the Security Index Program.

b7C

A newspaper photograph of [redacted] is available in LA file 100-15641, serial 106.

There is no evidence of any CP membership on the part of any close relative of subject.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES:

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

1. Will await decision of the Bureau concerning desirability of interviewing [redacted] in connection with the November 1955 issue of "One" magazine in accordance with referenced communications.

b7C

2. Will report any additional information received by this office from sources and informants concerning [redacted]
[redacted]

INFORMANTS

Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized in this report only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

- 24 -

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

Identity	Date of Activ. &/or Descrip.	Date Rec'd	Agent	Location	
[redacted] Contact Officer, VA, 1380 S. Sepulveda, W Los Angeles [redacted] (at request and because of nature of information set forth)	Personal history	2/23/56	[redacted]	This Report	b2 b7C
[redacted] Anonymous (NY source)	Re: [redacted] [redacted]	6/44	[redacted] (NY)	100-7690-133 P. 139	b2 b7D b7C
[redacted]	Re: [redacted] [redacted]	3/22/55	[redacted]	100-7378-506	b7C
[redacted] INS, LA	Documentation [redacted]	7/15/53	[redacted]	100-39936-24	b2 b7C
[redacted]	Documentation [redacted]	5/17, 25/47	[redacted]	100-23933-1B1 vol. 2, page 32	
[redacted]	Negative	2/24/56	[redacted]	This report	b2
[redacted]	"	"	"	"	b7D
[redacted]	"	"	[redacted]	"	b7C
[redacted]	"	"	[redacted]	"	

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

- 25 - ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LA 100-53757

Identity	Date of Activ. &/or Descrip.	Date Rec'd	Agent	Location
[redacted]	Negative	2/24/56	[redacted]	This report
[redacted]	"	"	"	"
[redacted]	"	"	[redacted]	"
[redacted]	Documentation	1/4/55	SF Office	100-5504-481
[redacted]	[redacted]			
State Bar of Calif., Central Towers Bldg., San Francisco				
[redacted]	Documentation	6/30/49	[redacted]	100-39936-24
[redacted]	Documentation	2/29/56	[redacted]	100-5504-1A

b2
b7D
b7C

u
(k)

REFERENCE

Bureau airtel to Los Angeles dated January 27, 1956.

Los Angeles airtel to Bureau dated February 2, 1956.

Bureau letter to Los Angeles dated February 15, 1956.

OTHER exempt per 77 civ. 999

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

4/9/56

SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.
232 South Hill Street
Los Angeles 12, California
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Reference Los Angeles letter to the Bureau dated 3/15/56.

Attached for the information of the Bureau are two copies of the February, 1956, issue of "One" Magazine. These copies were purchased at a local newsstand at 5th And Hill Streets, Los Angeles, 4/6/56. This issue was just released for sale.

On Page 10, Column 2, Paragraphs 1 and 2 it will be noted that brief reference is made to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

It is also noted that the name [redacted] does not appear in the masthead of this issue, nor does the name [redacted] appear in the contents as connected with the magazine or with "ONE," Inc.

b7C

2 - Bureau (Enc.2)
1 - Los Angeles

ITW:SSB
(3)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP4/bul/gde

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/11/56

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (62-0)

SUBJECT: "MATTACHINE REVIEW",
"ONE";
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed for the Bureau are:

One copy of "MATTACHINE REVIEW", Special Issue,
March, 1956.

One copy of "MATTACHINE REVIEW", Special Issue,
April, 1956.

One copy of "ONE", issue of January, 1956.

The "MATTACHINE REVIEW" is apparently an official
publication of the MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC., P. O. Box 1925,
Main Post Office, Los Angeles, California. The "ONE"
publication has offices at 232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles,
according to this issue.

Both publications deal with the problems of homosexuality
in the community. There are several articles on searches and
seizures and the rights of citizens at the time of arrest. They
are published ostensibly for homosexuals.

They were received anonymously through the mails in
the NYO and are being furnished to the Bureau for information.

Encs. (3) **ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 4/11/84 BY [signature]**

WSM:KMG

4 ENCLOSURE

RECORDED 83

INDEXED 83

100-403320-30

10 APR 13 1956

1 APR 13 1956

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/89 BY [signature]

mattachine REVIEW

MARCH 1956



100-403320-20

SPECIAL ISSUE

The front and back of the book “Mattachine Review” was scanned in. There are 14 pages that were not scanned in.

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE BOUND VOLUME?

We know that readers who ordered the 1955 bound volume are wondering why they haven't received it. The fact is, we are told, that binding is now finished, and shipment from the binder's is expected immediately. The books will then be rushed into the mail and into the hands of persons who ordered them. Thanks for being patient.



U.S. SECURITY PROGRAM A BAR TO PROGRESS

LEE A. DuBRIDGE *president of the California Institute of Technology, in*
THE YALE REVIEW

HOW are we going to determine who can be trusted to work in the areas of weapon technology where there are secrets to be kept? By the very nature of the problem criteria cannot be laid down and adopted once and for all. Conditions change. When a war is on and lives are at stake we are oddly enough willing to take more of a risk in order to get the job done quickly. People who served competently during the war were disqualified later from classified work. The very term "risk" itself implies a danger not fully defined.

Every human being is to some extent a security risk. No one is perfect, no one is immune to being deceived or blackmailed or tortured into giving information; no one is certain never to commit a slightly careless act in handling secret material. At the same time there are urgent jobs to be done. If we trust no one with secrets then there will be no secrets—for secrets are invented in the brains of fallible human beings. If we disqualify every compe-

tent but slightly imperfect scientist from working for the government then we shall surely fail to survive as a nation in the modern world.

There is a crying need today for a reformulation of the concept of a security risk. You may fire a man convicted of petty larceny, but you should not call in the security board. All we are trying to do is to exclude people who might directly or indirectly give information to an enemy.

It is often said that security procedures may be justifiably arbitrary because in any case "federal employment is a privilege not a right." As far as most scientists are concerned it is neither a privilege nor a right but only a patriotic duty. Often scientists are not paid at all for their advisory services. Yet the government needs good scientists and ought to offer positive inducements to them.

There is a danger of losing classified information and we must adopt reasonable precautions. There is also a danger of losing the technological race for military security. We need to find a balance between these two risks which is more advantageous than at present to the safety of the U.S.

matachine REVIEW

50c

APRIL 1956

IN THIS ISSUE . . . IMPORTANT READING FOR EVERYONE!

JAMES (BARR) FUGATE: HOMOSEXUALS v. CHILD MOLESTERS
JUSTICE JESSE W. CARTER: YOUR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS
DR. DONALD J. WEST: IT'S TIME TO CHANGE SEX LAWS
EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES AND HOW THEY AFFECT HOMOSEXUALS



100-403320-30

The front and back of the book “Mattachine Review” was scanned in. There are 50 pages that were not scanned in.



*just what
is Mattachine
trying to do?*

When they first hear of the Mattachine Society, lots of people ask that question. Some of them think we have a large organization with unlimited funds and an avowed purpose of defending everyone caught in the web of the law. Such is not the case. The organization is very small, and it has no money to fight legal battles.

But a public service more far-reaching heads the program of Mattachine. Education of the public about the true aspects of human behavior, creating an understanding for those persons whose behavior may vary from accepted standards and yet cause no real social harm, and to advocate a code of proper conduct for everyone to follow—these are the principle aims of Mattachine. By aiding recognized research experts, through public discussion groups, and in publications such as *Mattachine Review*, we hope to make progress toward these goals. YOU can help. YOU can benefit. For specific information, write today to the Board of Directors



POST OFFICE BOX 1925

MAIN POST OFFICE

LOS ANGELES 53 CALIFORNIA

Mattachine Society, Inc.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

0-9a

AIR-TEL

To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION. March 23, 1956

Transmit the following message to: SAC Los Angeles (100-45888)

"ONE," THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE, PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC., 232 SOUTH HILL STREET, LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA, RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Reurlet 3-2-56.

Investigation conducted by your office thus far has failed to develop the information desired by the Bureau. You are instructed to immediately take necessary positive investigative steps to further identify William Lambert and especially

as well as other persons connected with this publication as set forth in Bulet to your office 2-15-56.

You are instructed to afford this matter your personal attention, coordinate all the investigations, and you should submit the results to the Bureau, Attention Crime Records Section, no later than March 22, 1956.

Hoover

cc - Mr. Rosen

Attention:

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/10/84 BY SP4/ab/h

5718

10 MAR 23 1956

NOTE: See Jones to Nichols memo dated 3-6-56, captioned "One, The Homosexual Magazine, Published by One, Inc., 232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles 12, California, CRIME RECORDS"

son
Carlin
Nichols
Belmont
Harbo
Mohr
Parsons
Rosen
Tamm
Trotter
Winterrowd
Tele. Room
Holloman
Gandy

Follow-up made for March 23, 1956
Killed by LA letter 3-15-56

CEM: jh
(6)

b7C

SENT VIA

M

Per

[***]

SAC, Los Angeles (100-53803)

May 22, 1956

Director, FBI (100-403320)

RECORDED - 51

- 32

"ONE,"
THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Reurlets of March 9 and 30, 1956.

On May 14, 1956, the Department, in reply to the Bureau's inquiry relative to the obscenity of "One" within the meaning of Title 18, Sections 1462 and 1465, U. S. Code, advised that they were withholding an opinion at the present time. The Department advised that it was felt that any decision relating to possible action under the foregoing statutes as to three issues of the magazine examined should be deferred pending the outcome of the appeal made by the attorney for "One." You will recall the appeal was filed after an issue of the magazine was termed unmailable by postal authorities.

You should have the appeal followed closely and the Bureau should be advised concerning any pertinent developments as well as the outcome of the appeal. Your office should also furnish to the Bureau forthcoming issues of "One" as they are published.

cc - Mr. Rosen

b7C

Attention: [redacted] Room 5718

NC FE: It will be recalled that captioned magazine carried an article stating that there were homosexuals in the FBI and we have been looking into the operation of this publication. Most of its officials and those associated with the publication have immoral and subversive backgrounds and they have been quite sarcastic upon contact by Bureau Agents relative to their slanderous words about the FBI. The Department was asked to render an opinion relative to the obscenity of the magazine for a possible Interstate Transportation of Obscene Matter violation. We may well be able to make such a move should the pending appeal of the magazine against postal authorities be found in favor of the Government.

CELESTINE

57 JUN 21 1956

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 2/2/84 BY SP/...

MAILED 12
JUN 1 1956
COMM. FBI

- Mr. Tolson
- Mr. Boardman
- Mr. Nichols
- Mr. Belmont
- Mr. Mohr
- Mr. Winterrowd
- Tele. Room
- Mr. Holloman
- Miss Gandy

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE:

FROM : Warren Olney III, Assistant Attorney General,
Criminal DivisionSUBJECT: "One," The Homosexual Magazine
Published by One, Inc., 232 South Hill Street,
Los Angeles 12, CaliforniaMay 1 1956
WON:RAC
Mr. Tolson
Mr. Nichols
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Mason
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Parsons
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tamm
Mr. Nease
Mr. Winterrowd
Tele. Room
Mr. Holloman
Miss Gandy97-0
145-5-

34328

This will reply to your memorandum of March 12, 1956.
You ask whether the October 1954, and November and December 1955
issues of "One" are obscene within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. 1462
and 1465.

Whether the issue under question are obscene is not free
from doubt. We feel that any decision relating to possible action
under 18 U.S.C. 1462 and 1465 as to the three issues in question
should be deferred pending the outcome of the appeal which we
understand has been taken from Judge Clarke's order. We have
asked the United States Attorney, Los Angeles, to keep us informed
as to developments.

In accordance with your request we are returning the
enclosures to your memorandum.

Enclosure No. 95642

Returned See Ser 64
Let to Los Angeles
5/22/56
Cam

RECORDED - 51

100-403320-32

MAY 15 1956

MAY 15 1956

b7C

2d

62-15-1000
EX-100
85

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mason	
Mr. Parsons	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tamm	
Mr. Nease	
Mr. Winterrowd	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

SUBJECT: "ONE"

DATE: 5/24/56

THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

b7C

ReBulet dated May 22, 1956, and Los Angeles letter dated March 30, 1956.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of the issue of "ONE" magazine, Volume 4, Number 3, for March, 1956. It is noted that Mr. HOOVER's name is mentioned in the middle of Page 6, Column 1.

HRO:DMB
(3)

- ② - Bureau (Encs.-2) (REG.)
- 1 - Los Angeles

ENCLOSURE

EXP. PROC.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/7/84 BY SP4/BJH/BJH

MAY 23 1956

1-0 (4)

EX-100
MAY 23 1956

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP/abj/f



one

**The
Homosexual
Magazine**



TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

The front and back of the book "One The
Homosexual Magazine" was scanned in.
There are 30 pages that were not scanned in.

ANNOUNCING...



an expanded publication schedule.

EVERY MONTH

For Subscribers Only

YES, THAT'S RIGHT.. Mattachine Review is now publishing six additional "specials" with its six regular big bi-monthly copies which now go to subscribers and onto newsstands. But the six alternate-month extras go to mail subscribers only! Get 12 issues per year now by sending \$2.50 for each 1-year subscription (\$3.50 foreign) for up to 4 years.

mattachine REVIEW

693 Mission Street, Rm. 312, San Francisco 5, Calif.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ann Carl Reid, *Chairman*

Dan Slater, *Vice Chairman*

William Lambert, *Secretary-Treasurer*

one

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

DATE: June 7, 1956

FROM : *[Signature]*

SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

ATTENTION: CRIME RECORDS SECTION

SUBJECT: "ONE", THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
 Published by One, Inc.
 232 South Hill Street
 Los Angeles 12, California

Re Los Angeles letter March 30, 1956.

Enclosed is the April 1956 issue of ~~"Fortnight"~~ which is mentioned on page 3 of referenced letter and which was apparently omitted when the other exhibits referred to therein were forwarded to the Bureau.

- ② - Bureau (Enc. 1) (REGISTERED)
 1 - Los Angeles

HRO:sjk/DRU
 (3)

EX-109

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
 DATE 2/4/84 BY SP6/SLH/SLH

RECORDED-57

53 JUN 14 1956

INDEXED

EX-109

LR

JUN

FILE 100-403320
 (4) JF

Office Memorandum • UNIT

GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

DATE: July 26, 1956

SUBJECT: "ONE"
 THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
 PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
 232 SOUTH HILL STREET
 LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
 RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

ReBulet May 22, 1956.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of Volume 4, No. 4,
 of "One" magazine, being issue for April and May 1956.

2 - Bureau (Encls. 2) (Registered)
 1 - Los Angeles

HRO/sjk
 (3)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
 DATE 2/9/81 BY SP4/BJW/LL

b7C

RECORDED-75 100-403320-35

JUL 27 1956

CRIME RECORDS

OAGU

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP-8 [signature]



Founded 1952

232 south hill street

los angeles 12, california

Michigan 6983

BOOK SERVICE ORDER FORM AND CHECK LIST

Name _____

Street _____

City _____ Zone _____ State _____

Books Ordered _____

Enclosed _____ Check _____ Money Order _____ Cash _____

Remittance must accompany all orders. Add 20 cents for shipping costs, tax in California

ONE PUBLICATIONS

HOMOSEXUALS TODAY

Organizations and Publications
edited by the staff of ONE.

Here is your guide to more than
twenty organizations & publications
for homosexuals - an unprecedented
volume giving names, addresses, mem-
berships, fields of emphasis, bio-
graphical data (where available.)

Who's Who in the homosexual world
today.

For the first time you will be able
to have such information - never
before included in any systematic
compilation. Read about rare publica-
tions, such as Hellas; Der Freond;
Vice-Versa - organizations such as:
Daughters of Bilitis; Knights of the
Clock; Ganymedes Samfundet. Each entry
a comprehensive view of an important
influence in the homosexual world.

This remarkable venture in the his-
tory of homosexual publications will
include a few articles originally ap-
pearing in ONE Magazine - most of the
material is absolutely new. Illustra-
ted.

Now at the pre-
edition sold out 50. (\$1.98
New Printing \$3.00

GAME OF FOOLS

An Unforgettable play by James
Barr Fugate, Author of
"Quatrefoil."

Appealing to book-lovers as:
A beautifully designed collec-
tor's first edition.....
A must for those interested in
the theater.....
A forceful, boldly frank story.
A most unusual item in every
way.....

An authoritative account by a
homosexual of the weird but
very real pressures four young
men undergo. Both from society
and within themselves because
they are homosexual.

It's a man's book for its hard-
hitting completely authentic realism.
It's a woman's book for its in-
tuitive insights and sensitive
handling. Interesting to both
the homosexual and non-homosexual
reader alike.

A book for EVERYONE who likes a
dramatic story and sharply-drawn
characterizations. Illustrated.
\$4.50.

current and active back titles)

(see over for ONE Publications)
CHECK LIST OF CURRENT AND ACTIVE BACK TITLES

NON-FICTION

- DEATH OF THE SCHARNHORST & OTHER POEMS by A. Alfred McKillen, Vantage \$2.50
A volume of impressive poetry. No obscurity of meaning here. The Sharpness and simplicity of style - the clarity of thought, leave no doubt in the reader's mind of the author's intent.
- MUST YOU CONFORM by Robt. Lindner, Rinehart \$3.00
Robert Lindner's excellent 1954 Hacker lectures, revised, including a long chapter on homosexuality that should stir debate.
- HOMOSEXUALITY by Donald Webster Cory, Julian \$5.00
The author of The Homosexual in America has selected key writings out of the wealth of the past, as well as recent yesterday and today, the first book which intelligently explores the subject of homosexuality from the historic world of Plato's Greece to the hard realities of Kinsey's America.
- VARIATIONS IN SEXUAL BEHAVIOR by Frank S. Caprio, Citadel \$5.00
The latest study by the widely acclaimed author of The Power of Sex, Female Homosexuality - with quotations from One magazine.
- ALL THE SEXES by Geo. W. Henry, Rinehart \$7.50
- THEY STAND APART by Hon. Judge Tudor Rees, ed., MacMillan \$3.75
A thorough-going book on the subject of homosexuality. Every aspect is carefully dealt with - social, moral, legal and medical - and by contributors who are eminent in their fields.
- HOMOSEXUALITY & THE WESTERN CHRISTIAN TRADITION by D. Sherwin Bailey, Longman's Green & Co. \$3.50
A detached and scholarly examination of what there is in the Bible concerning homosexuality - showing, incidentally, that Sodom was not specifically remarkable for the cult to which it has given its name.
- SECRET IN A BOTTLE by Flint Holland, Pageant \$2.00
Showing remarkable relationship between homosexuality and alcoholism, for layman and scholar alike.
- THE OTHER MAN by Donald West, Wm. Morrow (Fine, frank treatment of subject, perhaps best to date). \$4.00
- THE RIGHT TO READ by Paul Blanchard, Beacon, (Critical survey of censorship in America) \$3.50
- MAN ON A PENICULUM by Dr. Israel Gerber, American \$3.50
A case history of an invert by a religious counselor.

FICTION

- THE OUTER RING by Audrey Lindop, Appleton \$3.75
An extremely able novelist tells the story of Jeremy Stretton who conquers his homosexual impulses only when he discovers that even as a homosexual he may be accepted as an ordinary human being.
- YOUNG TORLESS by Robt. Musil, Pantheon \$2.95
First English translation of novel of Viennese pre-war (World War I) decay, set in aristocratic military school.
- THE SPANISH GARDENER by A. J. Cronin, Little Brown \$3.00
A haunting book with overtones of both beauty and tragedy.
- THE MISSING MACLEANS by Geoffrey Hoard, Viking \$3.75
- THE TROUBLED MIDNIGHT by Rodney Garland, Coward-McCann \$3.50
A novel based on the Maclean case by the author of the very successful The Heart in Exile.
- HADRIAN'S MEMOIRS by Marguerite Yourcenar, Farrar, Straus & Young \$4.00
- HEMLOCK AND AFTER by Angus Wilson, Viking \$3.00
A brilliantly written novel first published in 1952. Assumes a first-rank position alongside of Quotefoil.
- FABRIZIO LUPO by Carlo Coccioli \$3.25
Available only in French or Spanish editions. Excellent philosophical novel on homosexuality. Filled with allegory and symbolism - in the continental style.
- NIKKI by Kevin Macrea, Pageant (Brief novel of Lesbianism) \$2.75
- CARDS OF IDENTITY by Nigel Dennis, Vanguard \$3.75
Hilarious Fantasy by Time editor of period when difference between sexes becomes hazy.
- CAT ON A HOT TIN ROOF by Tennessee Williams, New Directions \$3.00
In his explosive Pulitzer Prize play Mr. Williams explores a dying marriage in the light of a doubtful masculinity. Possibly his best play.
- WIND WOMAN by Carol Hales \$3.00
A rehash of the lesbian theme from the psychiatrist's couch in a series of flashbacks.

one

MIAMI'S

NEW TYPE

WITCHHUNT

Homosexuality:

A Brake
on
Overpopulation

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

The front and back of the book "One Miami's
New Type Witchhunt - Homosexuality: A
Brake on Overpopulation" was scanned in.
There are 46 pages that were not scanned in.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ann Carl Reid, *Chairman*

Don Slater, *Vice Chairman*

William Lambert, *Secretary/Treasurer*

ARCADIE

Monthly magazine in French, literary and scientific,
infrequent photos and drawings \$9 yearly

162 Rue Jeanne d'Arc, Paris XIII, France.

VRIENDSCHAP

Monthly magazine in Dutch, photos and drawings,
also articles about women \$4 yearly

Postbox 542, Amsterdam, Holland.

ICSE NEWSLETTER

Published every other month by the International
Committee for Sexual Equality Available in English,
French or German \$5 yearly

Postbox 1564, Amsterdam, Holland.

one

SAC, Los Angeles (100-53757)

June 15, 1956

Director, FBI (100-422152)

[redacted] wa.
SECURITY MATTER - C

b7C

Reurlet dated 5/21/56.

The Bureau agrees with your decision to place this case in a pending inactive status. The Bureau feels that no further action should be taken by your office in this matter until after the outcome of the appeal of the matter involving One, Inc. in Federal court at Los Angeles. Closely follow this appeal and furnish the Bureau immediately with any developments.

"ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/81 BY SP4/abc/lf

cc - Mr. Rosen
Attention: [redacted] (Room 5718)

b7C

cc - Mr. Belmont
Attention: [redacted] (Room 1264)

Follow-up made for July 16, 1956
Follow-up made for August 15, 1956

NOT RECORDED
87 JUN 18 1956

cc - Bureau file 100-403320

b7C

NOTE: Julber Attorney for "One, Inc.," has indicated an appeal against a ruling that one issue of "One" was not mailable. Additionally, the Department is withholding an opinion regarding the possible obscenity of "One" pending the outcome of this appeal. It is felt that we can proceed no further until we know the results of the appeal and receive the departmental ruling.

TED:sak
(9)

SAC, Los Angeles (100-45888)

July 31, 1956

RECORDED
EX-104- 36
Director, FBI (100-403320)THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re closing report of Special Agent [redacted]
[redacted] 12-31-53, at Los Angeles "The Mattachine
Society; One, Incorporated; Internal Security - C,"
which denotes that The Mattachine Society (TMS) and
One, Incorporated, professed no connection with each
other although their aims and purposes are similar.

b7C

Re Los Angeles letter 3-9-56 "One, The
Homosexual Magazine Published by One, Incorporated,
232 South Hill Street, Los Angeles 12, California,
Research (Crime Records)," which advises there
appears to be no present organizational connection
between One, Incorporated, and TMS, that a new case
file has been opened by Los Angeles on One, Incorporated,
and that TMS now has its own publication which bears
the title the "Mattachine Review."

For your information, the New York Office by
letter dated 4-11-56 "Mattachine Review; One;
Information Concerning," forwarded to the Bureau two
copies of "Mattachine Review," special issues for
March and April, 1956, which copies together with
a copy of "One" were received anonymously through
the mail by the New York Office.

MAILED

COMM-FBI

In July, 1956, the Bureau received from the
office of a Congressman a pamphlet which had been
sent through the mails to the Congressman's office.
This pamphlet purports to be issued by the "Mattachine
Society, Incorporated (a California corporation)"
with Area Councils located as follows: 693 Mission
Street, San Francisco 5, California; 357 Belmont
Avenue, Los Angeles 26, California; Post Office
Box 3514, Merchandise Mart Post Office, Chicago 54,
Illinois; New York - Boston Chapter, Murray Hill
Station, Post Office Box 194, New York 16, New York;
and Post Office Box 1222, Long Beach 2, California.

Tolson _____
Nichols _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mason _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Nease _____
Winterrowd _____
Tele Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

JTM:lfj (Note on Yellow, Page 2)

(4)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/4/81 BY SP4/abj

WVH
FVH
WVH

Letter to SAC, Los Angeles

The pamphlet describes TMS as a nonprofit corporation, national in scope, educational and benevolent in character. It describes the efforts and aims of TMS in the homosexual field and solicits the purchase of the publication "Mataching Society Today" and the "Mataching Review."

For the information of the Bureau, you are requested to search your office files and furnish any current information concerning TMS or its publications. No active investigation need be conducted for this purpose. (SAC:)

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Mr. Nichols talked to Senator Allott on 7-21-56. Senator Allott referred to pamphlet from TMS and was upset and agitated over its receipt. By letter dated 7-20-56 Senator Allott forwarded pamphlet. Investigation of TMS closed in 1953 as no indication of communist infiltration or control. Mr. Nichols suggested review by Loyalty Unit and Domestic Intelligence Division to determine any investigative activity required.

GORDON ALLOTT
COLORADO

COMMITTEES
ON LABOR AND PUBLIC WELFARE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D. C.

July 20, 1956

PERSONAL

Mr. Louis B. Nichols
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Nichols:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of this afternoon, I am enclosing herewith the pamphlet which was received through the U.S. mails today and addressed to me.

In accordance with your request, I am forwarding it to you for your investigation.

Very truly yours,

Gordon Allott
Gordon Allott - U. S. S.

ADDENDUM; 7-24-56; LBN:rm

By reference from the Director's Office I talked to Senator Allott on July 21. He referred to a pamphlet he had received from the Mattachine Society, Inc., advertising the Mattachine Review featuring news on homosexuals. The Senator was very much upset and agitated over this. I told him that we had previously checked on a similar magazine known as "One" and that we would be glad to receive the pamphlet. It is suggested that this be reviewed in both the Loyalty Unit and Domestic Intelligence Division to determine if there is any matter coming within our jurisdiction or which would require any investigative action.

GLA:cks
Enclosure

RECORDED
INDEXED-6888




100-455220-36
10 AUG 7 1956

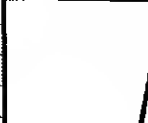
b7C

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

, 1956

TO

___ Director  5744
 ___ Mr Tolson, 5744  Miss Gandy, 5633
 ___ Mr. Boardman, 5736  5633
 ___ Mr. Belmont, 1742
 ___ Mr. Mason, 5256 ___ Records Branch
 ___ Mr. Mohr, 5517 ___ Pers. Records, 6631
 ___ Mr Parsons, 7621 ___ Reading Room, 5531
 ___ Mr. Rosen, 5706 ___ Mail Room, 5533
 ___ Mr. Tamm, 4130 IB ___ Teletype, 5644
 ___ Mr. Sizoo, 1742 ___ Code Room, 4642
 ___ ___ Mechanical, B-114
 ___ Mr Nichols, 5640 ___ Supply Room, B-216
 ___ Mr. McGuire, 5642 ___ Tour Room, 5226
 ___ Mr. Wick, 5634
 ___ Mr. DeLoach, 5636
 ___ Mr. Morgan, 5226

___ Mr Jones, 4236
 ___  6222 IB
 ___ 7204
 ___ 7206
 ___ 5537

___ See Me
 ___ For Your Info

___ For appropriate action

___ Note & Return

b7C

L. B. Nichols
 Room 5640, Ext. 691



10.36

YOU CAN LEARN the story of the Mattachine Society, its aims and principles, organizational structure and history. For this information and how you can help in this program, send 25c for your copy of

MATTACHINE SOCIETY today



Address your request for this 16-page general information booklet to the Board of Directors or the nearest area council listed below

MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.

Office of the Board of Directors
Post Office Box 1925
Men Post Office
Los Angeles 53 Calif

AREA COUNCILS

San Francisco Area Council
693 Mission Street
San Francisco 5 Calif

Los Angeles Area Council
357 Belmont Ave
Los Angeles 26 Calif

Chicago Area Council
Post Office Box 3514
Merchandise Mart Post Office
Chicago 54, Ill

New York-Boston Chapters
Murray Hill Station
Post Office Box 154
New York 16 New York

Long Beach Area Council
Post Office Box 1232
Long Beach 2, Calif

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

The Society publishes a magazine, "MATTACHINE REVIEW," to keep you informed of significant trends in public opinion, fact and comment, and the thinking of prominent professional persons who are concerned with the problem of homosexuality. Subscription rate is \$2 50 per year in the U. S., Canada and Mexico, \$3 50 elsewhere. Send orders to

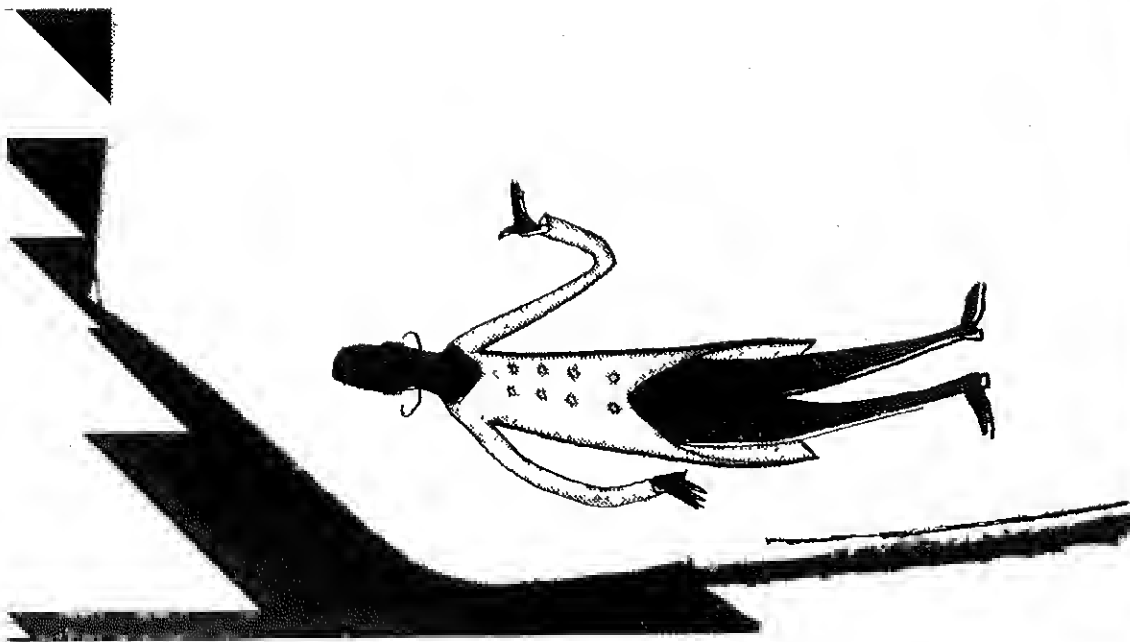
Mattachine REVIEW

693 Mission Street, Rm 312,
San Francisco 5, Calif

The REVIEW is bi-monthly on many U. S. news stands, single copies 50c. However, it now publishes an additional six alternate-month editions which are mailed to subscribers... making it a monthly magazine for them. The extra issues are special editions and contain news items of the society nationally.

AREA NEWSLETTERS

Area Councils publish monthly newsletters which tell of meetings, discussion groups and other activities of units of the Society in their areas, plus general news about the Society itself. Address all inquiries about newsletters to the areas in which you are interested.





IN THE CITY

AT

There are between 12,000,000 and 15,000,000 homosexuals, based on the findings of Kinsey and other leading research experts.

They are found among all races, nationalities and religious denominations—in every profession and in every occupation.

They are found in every city and town, regardless of size.



UNDOUBTEDLY YOU KNOW

SOME OF THEM

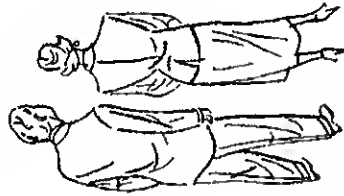
They may be on the job with you, living in the apartment or house next to you, among your friends or acquaintances. Among those you love most deeply, there is likely to be at least one homosexual person—it might be your own son or daughter, your brother or sister.



Most homosexuals are *not* insane, stupid, wildly perverted, "unnatural" or socially incompetent as is often believed.

The fact is that most homosexuals can and do lead useful and productive lives. **MANY OF THEM ARE AMONG OUR MOST RESPECTED AND SUCCESSFUL CITIZENS.**

Homosexuals are neither uncommon nor "queer."



BUT HOMOSEXUALS

AS SUCH



Have only limited social and civil rights. In fact, our whole society is organized to keep them, in many respects, more completely oppressed than are various racial and religious minorities.

THIS IS WHY a group of responsible, socially conscious citizens has formed...

Mattachine Society, Inc.

(a California corporation)

...To encourage medical and social research pertaining to socio-sexual behavior and to publish the results of such research.

...To sponsor educational programs to aid social and emotional variants and to promote among the general public an understanding of the problems of such persons.

...To help develop social and moral responsibility in those persons whose behavior may vary from accepted present-day standards.

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY LOOKS TOWARD THE
WHEN THE HOMOSEXUAL WILL.

1. Live a well-oriented, socially productive life with pride and without fear;
2. Follow a high standard of ethics and conventions in conformity with the best interests of society,
3. Be accepted as a useful citizen by an enlightened public, and
4. Make a recognized addition to the productivity and social consciousness of our cities, states and the nation.



THE MATTACHINE
SOCIETY, Inc

...is a non-profit corporation, national in scope, educational and benevolent in character. Its members are all over 21 years of age.

[See Kinsey file for duplicate]

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)
FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-45888)
SUBJECT: THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

DATE: AUG 23 1956

OO - Los Angeles

Rebulet 7/31/56.

Rebulet requested Los Angeles to furnish any current information concerning captioned organization or its publications, but that no active investigation be conducted.

Copies of this letter are being furnished to other offices for their information because chapters of the Society exist within their territories.

Set forth herein is a brief survey of the activities of the Society since the closing report of SA [redacted] dated 12/31/53 at Los Angeles. For the information of offices which have not received prior reports, some background on the Society is set forth. The sources of the information contained herein are, in most instances, publications of the Society or confidential sources who have furnished reliable information in the past. No report is being submitted because no security problem appears to exist.

- 3 - Bureau (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Boston (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Chicago (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Miami (REGISTERED)
- 1 - New Orleans (REGISTERED)
- 1 - New York (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Norfolk (REGISTERED)
- 1 - San Diego (REGISTERED)
- 1 - San Francisco (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Los Angeles

RECORDED - 93
INDEXED - 93

SE 41

AUG 28 1956

b7C

HRO:MK
(12)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 12-5-85 BY SP1 JH

63 SEP 11 1956

239085
10-3-85 SP2TAP/JAC
#259,380

6-30-56
35

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

BACKGROUND

The Mattachine movement had its inception in 1950 when a small group inaugurated the first discussion group. This early activity resulted in the organization of a secret society under the name of the Mattachine Foundation which filed incorporation papers in the State of California on 4/27/53, and was thereafter known as the Mattachine Foundation, Inc. The announced purposes of this first organization were: "The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are to sponsor, supervise and conduct scientific research in the field of homosexuality; to publish and disseminate the results of such research; and to aid in the social integration and rehabilitation of the sexual variant."

The Mattachine Foundation, Inc. expanded its operations and established chapters in the Los Angeles and San Francisco, Calif. areas and either organized or became closely identified with a publication known as "One, the Homosexual Magazine" published by One, Inc., 307 South Hill St., Los Angeles. One, Inc. was incorporated under the laws of California as of 6/1/53. This close identification of the magazine, "One" with the Foundation continued for approximately a year, at which time there appeared a notice in "One" that the magazine had no connection with the Mattachine Society, as it was then called.

On 5/23 and 24/53, a convention was held at which the Mattachine Society was organized and the Mattachine Foundation, Inc. released its name to the new Society.

The Mattachine Society published a constitution dated 5/24/53, which is referred to hereafter but which states in the Preamble, "We, the members of the Mattachine Society, in full awareness of our social obligations as members of the human community, hold it necessary that a highly ethical homosexual culture be integrated into society; and, whereas the present laws of many lands are discriminatory and limit the best expressions of the culture; and, whereas we are resolved that these people shall find equality; and, whereas we desire to spread knowledge of the aims and aspirations of this Society through mutual education of its membership and of society, we therefore, hereby resolve..." (There follow the organizational details concerning the Society.)

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

Articles of Incorporation were filed by the Mattachine Society, Inc. with the State of California 3/23/54, and a new constitution was adopted. The description of the specific and primary purposes of the Mattachine Society, Inc. contained in the Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

"That the specific and primary purpose for which this corporation is formed is to further and gain acceptance of the belief of sexual equality for all people using methods, primarily, as follows:

"1. To sponsor, supervise and conduct medical, social, social hygiene, pathological and therapeutic research of every kind and description and to publish and disseminate the results of such research as widely as possible.

"2. To sponsor, supervise and conduct educational enterprises for the aid and benefit of all persons socially, mentally or morally ill and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of such persons.

"3. To sponsor, supervise and conduct educational enterprises to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge, and understanding of sexual equality.

"4. To aid in the adjustment to society of such persons as may vary from the normal moral and social standards of society and to aid in the development of a highly ethical, social, and moral responsibility in all such persons.

"5. To protect, insofar as possible, these people from undue discriminations.

"6. To establish branches of this corporation.

"7. To publicize by printed information, radio, television, pamphlets, speakers bureaus, stage presentation and all other means of communication, the purposes and activities of this corporation.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

"That the general purposes for which this corporation is formed, in addition to those enumerated above, are as follows:

"1. To sue and be sued.

"2. To borrow money, contract debts, issue bonds, notes and debentures, and to secure same.

"3. To lease, purchase, hold, have, inherit, use and take possession of and enjoy any personal or real property necessary for the uses and purposes of the corporation, and to sell, lease, deed in trust, alien or dispose of the same at the pleasure of the corporation, and for the uses and purposes for which said corporation is formed and to buy and sell real or personal property and to apply the proceeds of sale, including any and all income, to the uses and purposes of the corporation.

"4. To do any and all other acts, things, business or businesses in any manner connected with or necessary, incidental, convenient or auxiliary to any of the objects hereinbefore enumerated or calculated, directly or indirectly, to promote the interest of the corporation...."

According to the Office of the California State Franchise Tax Board, the Mattachine Society, Inc. qualifies as a "civic league" and is not subject to franchise taxes. The general activities of the Mattachine Society, Inc., hereinafter referred to as the Society, are carried on through organized chapters which are part of an Area Council. The Area Council has representatives who meet with a Coordinating Council. The final policy and executive authority, however, rest in the general convention which is held annually. In general, the activities of the Society have been to hold discussion groups organized by various chapters to which non-members are invited, to hold social affairs, to engage in certain research projects and, in some instances, to defend sexual deviates who have fallen afoul of the law.

AUG 13 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE
MATTACHINE SOCIETY

In addition to the Preamble of the constitution of the Mattachine Society dated 5/24/53, Article 1 provides that "members shall be admitted regardless of race, color or creed" and that "no provision shall be made to destroy the anonymity of any member without his permission." Article 2 describes the general convention as the supreme governing body of the organization and describes its composition and how delegates shall be elected to it. Article 3 describes the Coordinating Council and how it shall be composed and its authority. Article 4 defines the Area Council and describes how it shall be composed and how it shall operate. Among other things, it provides that the Area Council may temporarily suspend chapter charters subject to ratification by the general convention. Article 5 defines the chapter and describes how it shall be organized.

This constitution was accompanied by a resolution which states, "Whereas this organization is neither political nor sectarian and whereas we believe that our group can only achieve the social integration which it seeks within the framework of a free society; and whereas we find it especially significant that the most brutal and restricted laws against homosexuality occur in those countries, like Russia, where freedom of the individual is most severely limited, and whereas those who attack the basic freedom of the individual in this country, both of the extreme right and the extreme left, have been the most bitter enemies of the homosexual, we, therefore, resolve to pledge ourselves to fight racial, religious and sexual discrimination within and outside the organization."

BYLAWS

The bylaws of the Mattachine Society provide for honorary memberships, fellowships, associate memberships, active memberships and sustaining memberships. Dues for a fellow member are established at \$50 per year; for an associate member at \$36 per year and for an active member at \$2 per year.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

The bylaws define the duties and authority of the officers of the chapters who are the chairman, the secretary and the treasurer, and provide a method for filling vacancies in the chapter offices. The bylaws provide that the chapter or Area Council shall not issue any public statement involving a policy of the Society or purporting to have the approval of the Society without first securing the written consent of the Coordinating Council, except in the case of a direct quotation from an officially adopted and public statement of policy or other official document of the Society. It is provided that no policy shall be considered official until adopted by the general convention. The bylaws also define the duties of the Area Council and the duties and authority of the Coordinating Council and provide for the manner of electing officers to the Coordinating Council.

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE
MATTACHINE SOCIETY,
INC.

The powers and purposes of the Mattachine Society, Inc., as reflected in the Articles of Incorporation, are set forth under Background (Supra). No other constitution is available.

ORGANIZATION OF CHAPTERS AND AREA COUNCILS

On March 22, 1955, CS [REDACTED] furnished the following information concerning then existing Area Councils and chapters:

b2

b7D

Office of the Board of Directors
P. O. Box 1925
Los Angeles 53, Calif.

Los Angeles Area Council
P. O. Box 1925
Los Angeles 53, Calif.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

San Francisco Area Council
P. O. Box 259
San Francisco 1, Calif.

Long Beach Area Council (Calif.)
P. O. Box 1232
Long Beach, Calif.

San Diego Area Council
P. O. Box 757
La Jolla, Calif.

Oakland-Berkeley Chapters (San Francisco Area Council)
P. O. Box 851
Oakland 4, Calif.

Chicago Area Council
P. O. Box 3513
Merchandise Mart Post Office
Chicago 54, Ill.

It is noted that rebulet summarizes information from a publication purportedly issued by the Mattachine Society, Inc. which was received by the Bureau in July, 1956 from a Congressman to the effect that there is also a post office address for the New York-Boston Chapters at Murray Hill Station Post Office, Box 194, New York 16, N.Y.

CS [] reported the following chapters in California:

b2

b7D

<u>Chapter #</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Area Council</u>
101	Suspended	Santa Monica, Calif.	Los Angeles
102	Public Relations	Los Angeles	Long Beach
103	Legal	"	Los Angeles
104	Research	"	"

DIRECTOR, FBI

AUG 23 1956

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

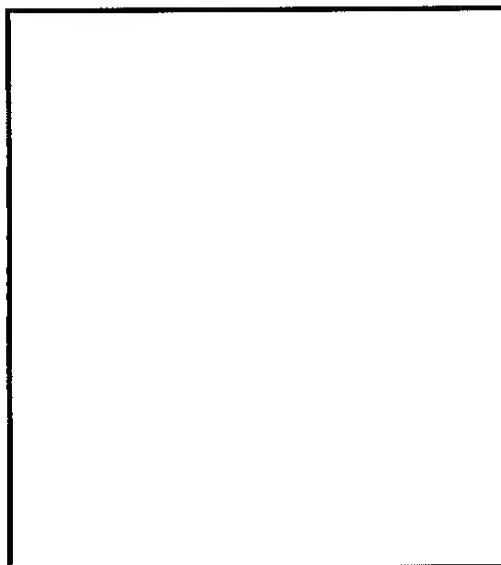
<u>Chapter #</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Area Council</u>
105	Alpha	Los Angeles	Los Angeles
106	Discussion Group	"	"
107	Alpha	San Diego	San Diego
108	Berkeley	Berkeley	San Francisco
109	Alpha-General	San Francisco	"
110	Oakland	Oakland	"
111	Beta-Publications	San Francisco	"
112	Civic Affairs	Emeryville	"
113	Public Relations	Long Beach	Long Beach
114	Suspended	Los Angeles	Los Angeles
115	Gamma-Social	San Francisco	San Francisco
116	Educational	Chicago	Chicago
117	Key	San Diego	San Diego
118	Public Relations	Chicago	Chicago
119	Atwas	Detroit	"
120	Research	Chicago	"

This source reported the following chapters of the
Mattachine Society active as of 1/20/55:

Chicago Chapter 160
Chapter 161
Chapter 163
Chapter 164

New York Chapter 170
Chapter 171
Chapter 172
Chapter 173
Chapter 174
Chapter 175
Chapter 176
Chapter 177
Chapter 178

Norfolk,
Va. Chapter 193
Chapter 195



b7D

AUG 28 1955

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

Tampa,
Fla. 2 Chapters

Key West,
Fla. 4 Chapters

Jackson-
ville, Fla. 3 Chapters

New Orleans,
La. 9 small chapters,

b7D

PUBLICATIONS

With an issue dated January-February, 1955, the Mattachine Society began publication of a magazine called "Mattachine Review," price 50¢. The publication offices are located at Box 259, San Francisco 1, Calif. The first issue contains the following articles:

Vag Lewd, A Criticism of the California Statute
by ~~HENRY SILVER~~
Facing Friends in a Small Town
by ~~JAMES BARR~~
An Open Letter to Senator Dirksen

Plus poems, small articles, letters to the editor, book reviews and notes concerning the Mattachine Society and its activities.

In a directory on page 30 are set forth details concerning the "Mattachine Review," how manuscripts and advertisements will be handled and the addresses of the existing Area Councils. Also set forth under "Other Publications - U.S." is "~~One Magazine~~," published by One, Inc., 232 South Hill St., Los Angeles 12, Calif. Under "Foreign Organizations and Publications" are set forth various foreign organizations and publications in Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Holland, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland and India which organize or publish in the interests of sexual deviates.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

The November-December, 1955 issue of the "Mattachine Review" contains the following articles:

On the Cure of Homosexuality
by ALBERT ELLIS, Ph.D.
Sex, Religion and Myth
by DONALD NORTON
Regulating the Sex Urge
by LUTHER ALLEN
The Conditioning Factor
by CARL B. HARDING
Hadrian and Antinous - A Historical Sketch
by MACK FINGAL
A Forgotten Commonplace
by LYN PEDERSEN

In addition there are short features, book reviews, letters to the editor, official news of the Mattachine Society, news from the various chapters, etc.

It is noted that a resolution appears on the front cover page of this issue which reads as follows:

"RESOLUTION

"IN SUPPORT OF THE MODEL PENAL CODE

"WHEREAS the program of the Mattachine Society has always been to seek a realistic and judicial repeal of certain discriminatory statutes dealing with morals, and WHEREAS the Society has earnestly advocated the retention of certain laws for the protection of individuals in the community as follows:

- "a. Those prohibiting sex activities and indecent behavior in public;
- "b. Those prohibiting sex relations between adults and minors;
- "c. Those prohibiting sex activities which involve use of force or violence, and

DIRECTOR, FBI

AUG 23 1956

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

"d. Those prohibiting sex relationships which
transmit disease, and

"WHEREAS the Society believes that, except for these, the
basis for sex morals must, in a free and democratic society,
be the concern of the family, the church and medicine, now
therefore be it resolved:

"That the Mattachine Society urges all persons to support the
decisions made by the American Law Institute in its 1955 report,
'A Model Penal Code,' and does further urge that all individuals
make their opinions known to their state legislators in an
effort to have these recommendations adopted into law.

"Passed and adopted by the
Board of Directors
September 3, 1955"

The 7th issue of the "Mattachine Review" is dated
Christmas, 1955 and contains the following articles:

Juliet's Still Shaving

by JAMES BARR FUGATE

T. C. Jones' "The Other Side of the Coin"

by WES KNIGHT

Agreeable Disagreement from Toastmasters' Magazine

Sex Offenders Tell of Helping Themselves

I Left No Orphan

by PAUL UGLEN

Love Ideals - Christian and Greek

by R. H. CROWTHER

In addition there are poems, short features,
letters to the editor, etc.

It is noted that this issue, on its directory page,
states that area newsletters are published by the Area Councils
of Los Angeles-Long Beach, San Francisco and Chicago.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

A review of the available newsletters circulated by the Southern Area Council covering Los Angeles and vicinity reflects the following activity of the Mattachine Society and the Mattachine Society, Inc. and its chapters:

Newsletter 1/1/54 reflects that the California State Dept. of Health made an inquiry of the Society for assistance in curbing venereal disease among sexual variants. It also reflects that a research project was being conducted by Research Chapter #104 entitled, "Lesbian Research Program," wherein it was announced that this program was being conducted in cooperation with volunteer psychologists, and that the Society was assisting in every way possible. Also announced was a blood bank party which was organized by the Southern Area Council for the purpose of donating blood to the hemophilic fund. The balance of the letter contains notes concerning the activities of the various chapters in the Los Angeles area; a reprint from an article in "Time Magazine" of 12/28/53 captioned, "The Hidden Problem" which dealt with the murder of his parents by a homosexual; and a book review of the book, "The Heart in Exile." This letter also notes attention being given to the problem of homosexuals in London, England, and some discussions which have occurred in the English Parliament.

Newsletter 3/1/54 announces that the Mattachine Society was supporting a legal case involving a technical point of law and appeals for funds. It also contains an article on who must register under the state or city law requiring the registration of sexual deviates, plus general notes concerning the activities of chapters and the Area Councils.

Newsletter 4/1/54 notes that funds were needed to prepare transcripts on the "Slade Case" which was being tested in the courts and which the Mattachine Society, Inc. was supporting. It also notes that Dr. WARDELL POMEROY, assistant to Dr. ALFRED KINSEY, was in Los Angeles and had been in consultation with representatives of the Mattachine Society in connection with a survey being made by Dr. KINSEY to be published under the title, "The Sex Offender and the Law."

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

Newsletter 7/1/54 notes that the Los Angeles Area Council (Southern Area Council) had rented offices at 357 Belmont Avenue, Los Angeles. It also notes that the Long Beach (California) Chapters had formed a Long Beach Area Council.

Newsletter 8/1/54 reprints a summary of a report given by Dr. EVELYN C. HOOKER of the Univ. of California at Los Angeles which had been given by Dr. HOOKER at the Long Beach, Calif. Convention of the Western Psychologists. Dr. HOOKER had worked with the Mattachine Society in certain phases of her research in the field of sexual deviates.

Newsletter 9/1/54 reports that Los Angeles Legal Chapter #103 was suspended from the Mattachine Society by the Los Angeles Area Council at a meeting held 8/20/54, because the chairman of Chapter #103 had engaged in investigations of several of its members. Such activities on the part of the chairman were charged to be in direct violation of the anonymity clause of the constitution of the Society and not in the best interests of the Society. It is reported that the chairman of Chapter #103 defended his action by stating that his investigations concerned the threat of Communism upon the Society, and that no attempt had been made to obtain information in regard to the personal lives of the persons involved. Information received from CS [redacted] reflects that Chapter #103 was the legal chapter of the Mattachine Society and included members from other areas, and that one [redacted] a contractor in San Francisco, Calif., was alleged to have been doing investigations of members of the Mattachine Society. [redacted] had stated that he belonged to an organization which bound him to investigate Communism.

b2
b7D
b7C

Newsletter November, 1954 contains an article on "Public Relations" which points out that every member of the Mattachine Society, Inc. is a part of the Public Relations Dept. and that included in the public relations effort of the members of the Society was the responsibility of "saying 'homosexual' instead of terms more frequently heard; it means frowning instead of laughing at jokes on the sex variant. And for both, variant and non-variant alike, it means absorbing every bit of available factual information on the subject and taking advantage of every opportunity to pass it

DIRECTOR, FBI

AUG 23 1956

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

"along to anyone receptive. This is the job of everyone in the Public Relations Department, this is everyone's job."

Newsletter January, 1955 contains a book review on a book entitled, "Sex In History" by G. ATTRAY TAYLOR (London, Thames on Hudson, 1953). Also included is a message to the area which refers to the appearance of the first issue of the "Mattachine Review" in which it is noted "We are reminded by an article in 'Time Magazine' of January 10th of an incident in the not too distant past when the Mattachine Society was accused of being Communistic. More than 300 homosexuals, according to the article, were picked up in one night in an effort to check the rapid growth of sexual deviation in Argentina. The rise in the number of 'shameful attacks on women' was listed as one of the reasons for the drive and the solution arrived at--licensing of bordellos which had been closed since the ban of 1936.

"Those of us who know something of the situation of the homosexual in America realize that conditions leave much to be desired in handling the problem here, but contrast our situation with that of a country ruled by a dictator. Are we Communist bait? Knowing what happened to sex deviates in countries where the state was, and is, all, are we that blind? We recommend the article to interested persons."

Newsletter April, 1955 announces that the Mattachine Society would hold its annual convention in Los Angeles on 5/14 and 15/55. It also notes that an amendment to Section 13 of Article 1 of the California Constitution had been proposed in the California Assembly which would change the first part of this article to add the underlined portion.

"Section 13: In criminal prosecutions, in any court whatever, the party accused shall have the right to a speedy and public trial, except that if such party is accused of a sex crime, the court may exclude from the courtroom all persons other than officers and attaches of the court, the accused, and the jury..."

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

It was stated that the foregoing was reported without comment in the newsletter.

Newsletter August, 1955 reported that HERBERT E. SELWYN, an attorney, was the principal speaker at the first monthly dinner meeting of the Los Angeles Area Council held 8/3/55 and had talked on the American Law Institute's model penal code and the significance of the recently adopted code which recommends abolishment of most sex laws dealing with sodomy. It also notes that CALVIN COTTAM, consulting psychiatrist for the Foundation for the Living, was a speaker at the July discussion group meeting of the Los Angeles Area Council.

Newsletter September, 1955 notes that the Board of Directors at its meeting in San Francisco on 9/3-5/55 had voted to aid in the revision of outdated sex laws as recommended by the American Law Institute. It also notes that Dr. ALFRED KINSEY would be in Los Angeles in the near future for the purpose of arranging interviews for his forthcoming book, "Sex and the Law" to be published in five volumes. It also notes that Mrs. RHODA KELLOGG had addressed a Board of Directors meeting in San Francisco on 9/4/55, and described her as operator of a nursery and a child guidance specialist. It is also noted that Dr. EVELYN HOOKER of Los Angeles; SAMUEL MORFORT, Personnel Laboratory, New York City, and FAITH BOSSITER and Dr. VERA FLUNKETT of San Francisco had attended sessions of the Board of Directors meeting in San Francisco.

Newsletter November, 1955 notes that SAM MORFORT, a New York psychologist, had set the date of 11/17/55 as the date for organizing a chapter in New York City. It also notes that more than 200 persons from the New York area had contacted the Society in the past and inquired concerning its activities. It notes that Dr. ALICE HOFFMAN, a noted authority on hormones, had been a guest at the dinner meeting held on 11/2/55.

Newsletter January, 1956 notes that 1/29/56 was the date for the Mid-Winter Institute organized by One, Inc.

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

Newsletter February, 1956 notes that Mrs. FRANCIS W. POYNTER, registered social worker and director of the Casework Division of the Church Federation of Los Angeles, would speak at the Los Angeles Area Council dinner on 3/6/56. It also notes that Dr. EVELYN HOOKER, psychology professor at UCLA, would speak at the Los Angeles Area Council discussion group meeting to be held 2/15/56, and that Miss KATHERINE KIMBRELL, Director of the School of Charm and Self Adjustment, would be the featured speaker at the Los Angeles Area Council dinner meeting 2/7/56.

CONVENTIONS

[redacted] PCI, a self-admitted homosexual, advised SA [redacted] on 5/18/55 that he had attended one session of the annual convention of the Mattachine Society, Inc. on 5/14/55. He stated that this convention was held on 5/13, 14 and 15/55 at the offices of the Society on Belmont Avenue in Los Angeles. He stated that there were 37 persons in attendance at the meeting and banquet, and that the membership of the Society had dropped from 300 to less than 100 inasmuch as they were getting rid of all the dead weight who did not pay dues. He stated that he had been a member of the Society [redacted] and he had never encountered anything which he would consider of a subversive nature. He stated the objective of the Society was to make the lot of the homosexual better. He said he never met anyone in the organization whom he would consider subversive or who had any Communist leanings.

b7C

b7D

The Mattachine Society, Inc. announced its third annual convention to be held on the theme of "Survey of the Homophilic Problem, 1956" at the Hotel Bellevue, Gary and Taylor Sts., San Francisco, Calif. 5/11-13/56. The program reflects the following activities of interest:

Saturday, May 12:

Address on the Homophilic Press by DON SLATER of One, Inc., Los Angeles

Report on the Mattachine in Eastern States

AUG 23 1956

DIRECTOR, FBI

THE MATTACHINE SOCIETY, INC.
IS - C

Comment on the Law by ~~KEN~~ ZEWERIN, attorney at law,
San Francisco
Introduction to a Survey of the Homophilic
Problem, 1956, by BASIL
~~VAERLEN~~, Research Director,
San Francisco
Conditioning of Pre-School Children by Mrs. RHODA
KELLOGG, Golden Gate Nursery
School, San Francisco
When Does the Homophilic Need A Psychiatric Treatment
Dr. ~~DANIEL~~ LIEBERMAN, Supt.
and Medical Director,
Mendocino State Hospital,
Mendocino, Calif.
The Homophilic in State Prisons
~~ROBERT~~ FLICKEN, Counselor,
San Quentin Prison, San
Quentin, Calif.
The Homosexual and the Law by HERBERT E. SELWYN,
attorney at law, Los Angeles
Rehabilitation of the Sexual Offender in California
Dr. R. S. ~~ROOD~~, Supt. and
Medical Director, Atascadero
State Hospital, Atascadero,
Calif.

Off

Nv1

m • UNITED

GOVERNMENT

TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-403320)

DATE September 28, 1956

FROM

SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-53803)

SUBJECT

"ONE"

THE HOMOSEXUAL MAGAZINE
PUBLISHED BY ONE, INC.,
232 SOUTH HILL STREET
LOS ANGELES 12, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

b7C

ReBulet dated May 22, 1956.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of Volume 4,
No. 5, of "One" Magazine, being issue for June and July, 1956,

- 2 - Bureau (Encls.-2) (REGISTERED)
- 1 - Los Angeles

HRO:ds
(3)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/84 BY SP7/abw/jf

RECORDED-89

100-4

HL 100-4

ENCLOSURE

b7C

1956

File

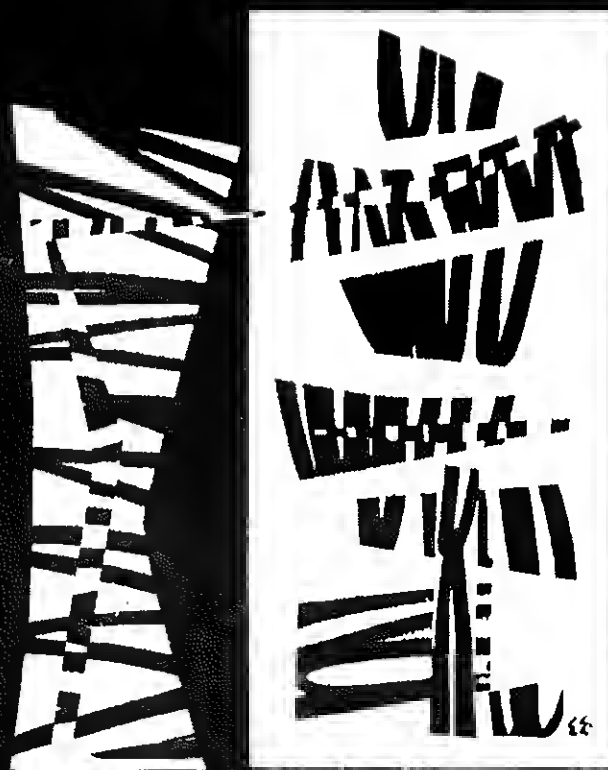
ice

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 2/9/80 BY SP4/ML

1153520-39

one

The
Homosexual
Magazine



TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

The front and back of the book "One The
Homosexual Magazine" was scanned in.
There are 46 pages that were not scanned in.

ONE, INCORPORATED

Founded 1952

A non-profit corporation formed to publish a magazine dealing primarily with homosexuality from the scientific, historical and critical point of view . . . books, magazines, pamphlets . . . to sponsor educational programs, lectures and concerts for the aid and benefit of social variants, and to promote among the general public an interest, knowledge and understanding of the problems of variation . . . to sponsor research and promote the integration into society of such persons whose behavior and inclinations vary from current moral and social standards.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ann Carl Reid, *Chairman*

Don Slater, *Vice Chairman*

William Lambert, *Secretary/Treasurer*

ARCADIE

Monthly magazine in French, literary and scientific,
infrequent photos and drawings \$9 yearly

162 Rue Jeonne d'Arc, Paris XIII, France.

VRIENDSCHAP

Monthly magazine in Dutch, photos and drawings,
also articles about women \$4 yearly

Postbox 542, Amsterdam, Holland.

ICSE NEWSLETTER

Published every other month by the International
Committee for Sexual Equality Available in English,
French or German \$5 yearly

Postbox 1564, Amsterdam, Holland

one